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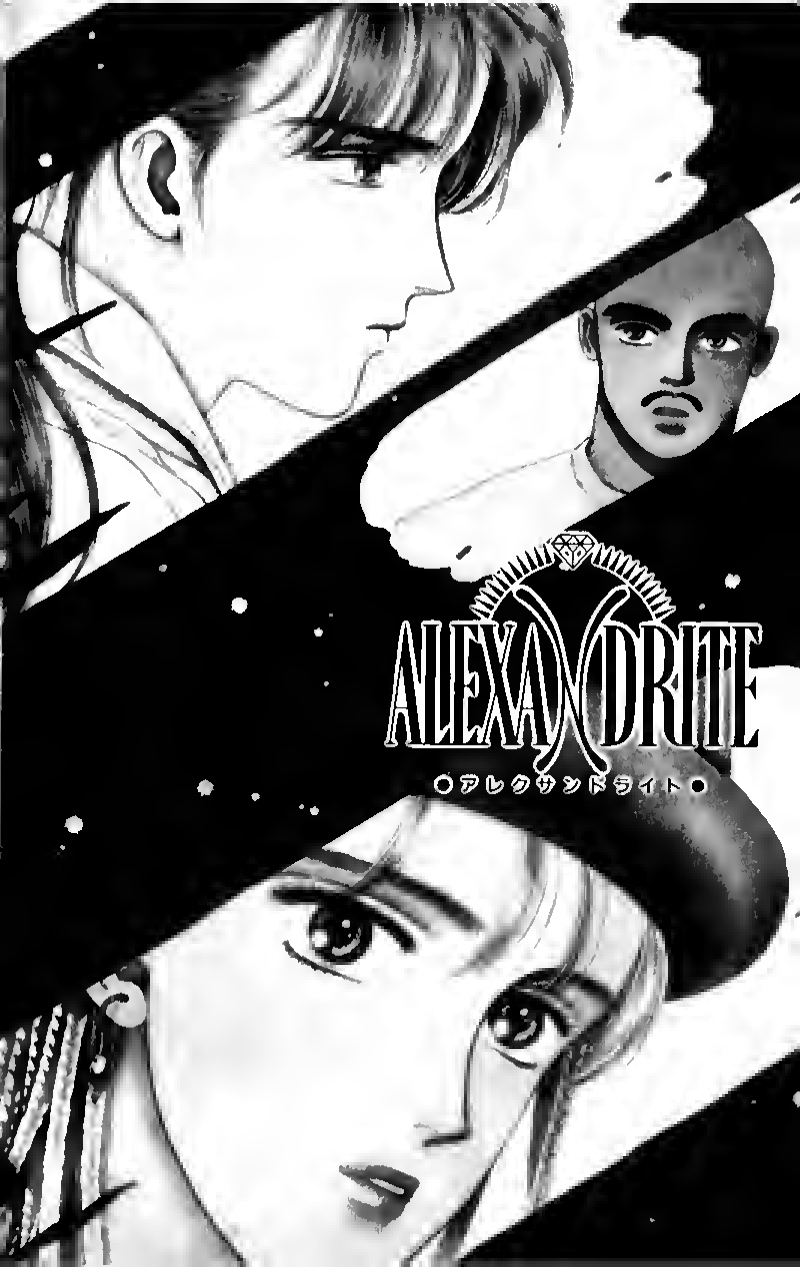
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Chapter 10.
"I'm Looking For The One" (To Be With Me)
by JAZZY JEFF&FRESH PRINCE

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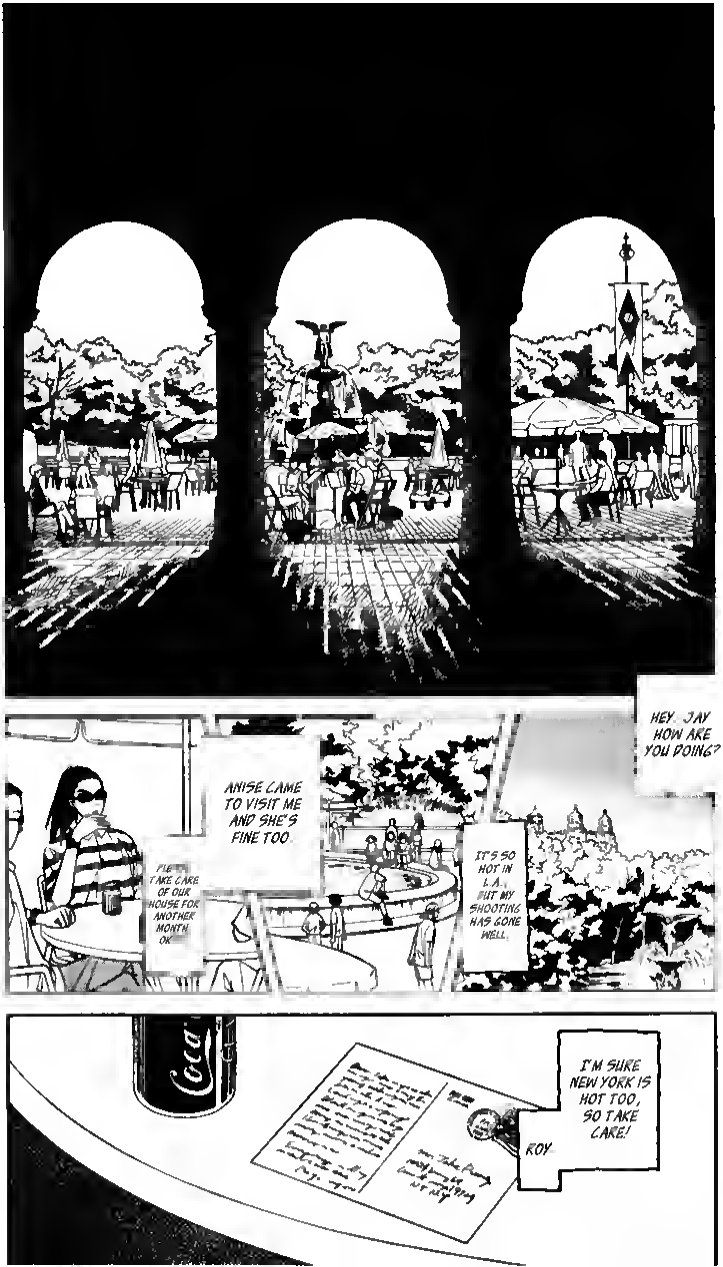
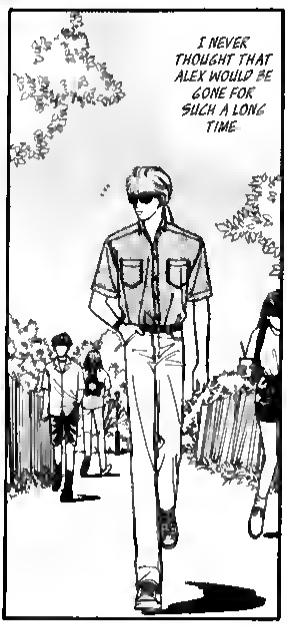
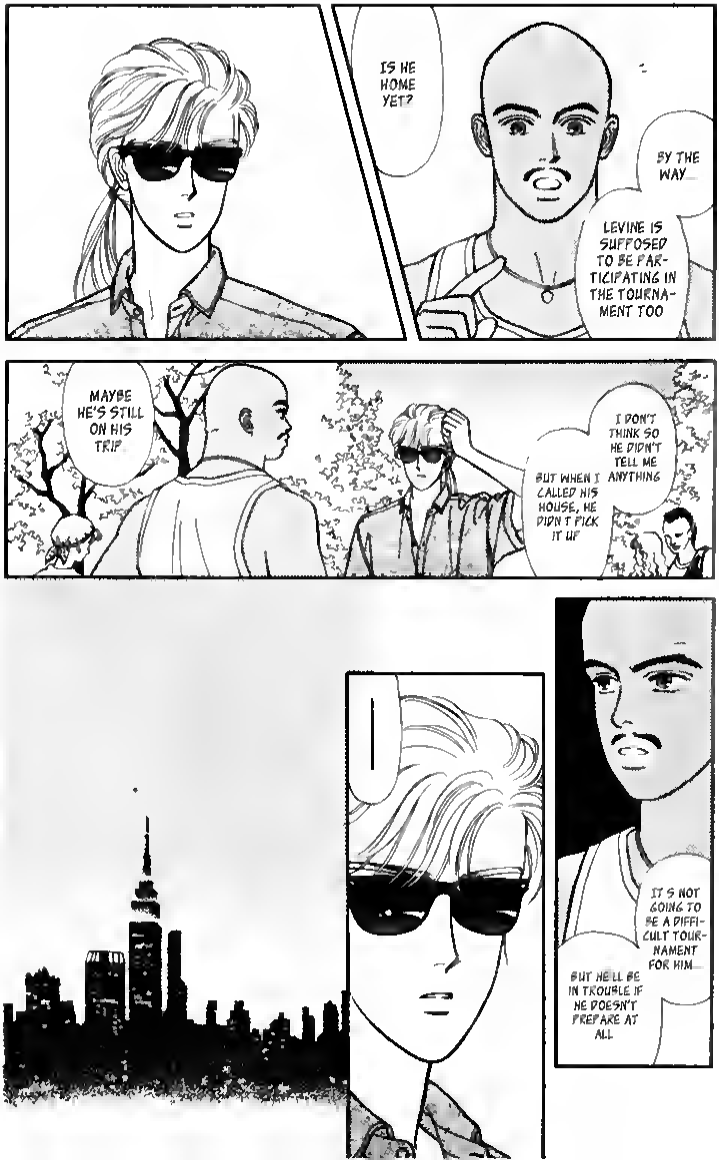

HEY JAY HOW ARE YOU DOING?
ANISE CAME TO VISIT ME AND SHE'S FINE TOO
IT'S SO HOT IN L.A. BUT MY SHOOTING HAS GONE WELL.
I'LL TAKE CARE OF OUR HOUSE FOR ANOTHER MONTH OK
I'M SURE NEW YORK IS HOT TOO, SO TAKE CARE!
ROY

IT'S HOT INDEED!

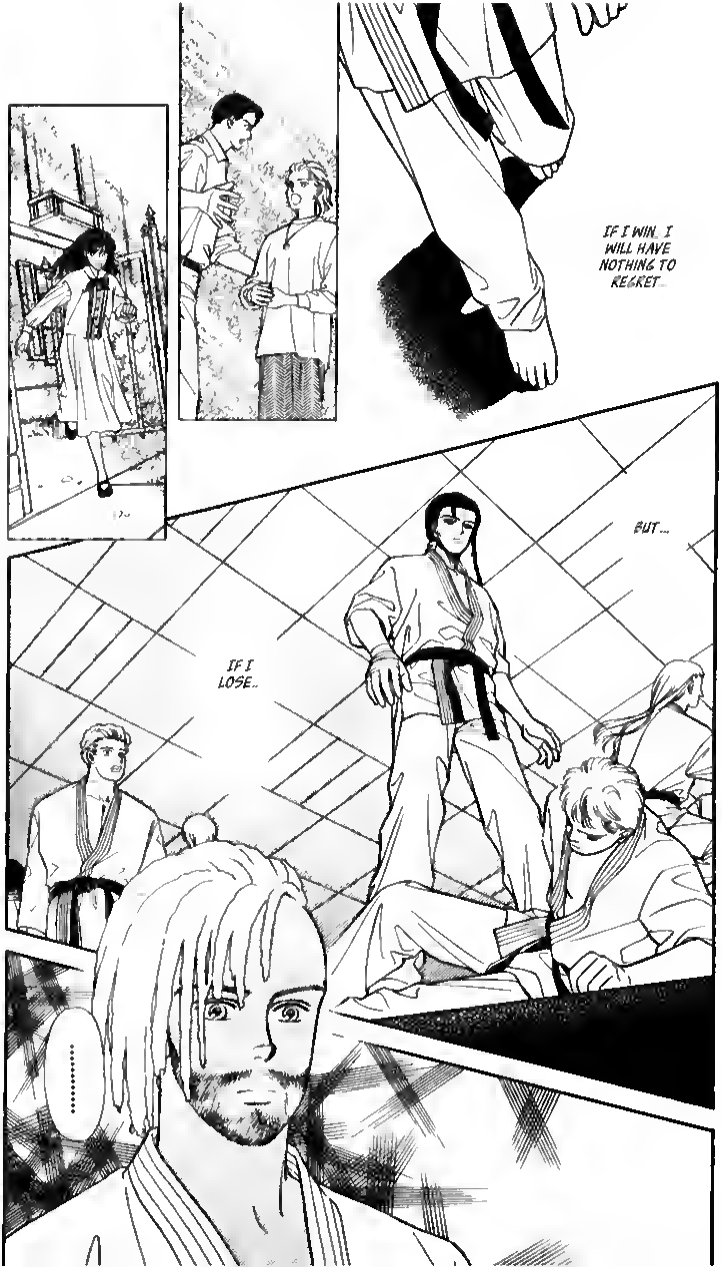
A FAMILIAR POSE
MARCUS?


I NEVER THOUGHT THAT ALEX WOULD BE GONE FOR SUCH A LONG TIME

YO!
YOU TOO
HOW HAVE YOU BEEN AFTER THAT ACCIDENT?
I'VE COMPLETELY HEALED UP NOW
YOU MUST BE JAKE, RIGHT?
LEVINE TOLD ME EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU
I HEARD THERE WAS GONNA BE A TOURNAMENT SOON?
YEAH, IN 1 WEEK
IS YOUR SHOP CLOSED TODAY?
NO, IT'S OPEN
BUT WE DIDN'T GET A LOT OF CUSTOMERS SO I WENT OUT TO PLAY BASKETBALL
KEEP PRACTICING
SEE YOU LATER, GUYS
OKAY!


IS HE HOME YET?
BY THE WAY...
LEVINE IS SUPPOSED TO BE PARTICIPATING IN THE TOURNAMENT TOO
MAYBE HE'S STILL ON HIS TRIP
BUT WHEN I CALLED HIS HOUSE, HE DIDN'T PICK IT UP
I DON'T THINK SO HE DIDN'T TELL ME ANYTHING
IT'S NOT GOING TO BE A DIFFICULT TOURNAMENT FOR HIM...
BUT HE'LL BE IN TROUBLE IF HE DOESN'T PREPARE AT ALL

DURING THE MATCH...
I FEEL LIKE MY REAL OPPONENT IS MYSELF


IF I WIN, I WILL HAVE NOTHING TO REGRET...
BUT...
IF I LOSE..
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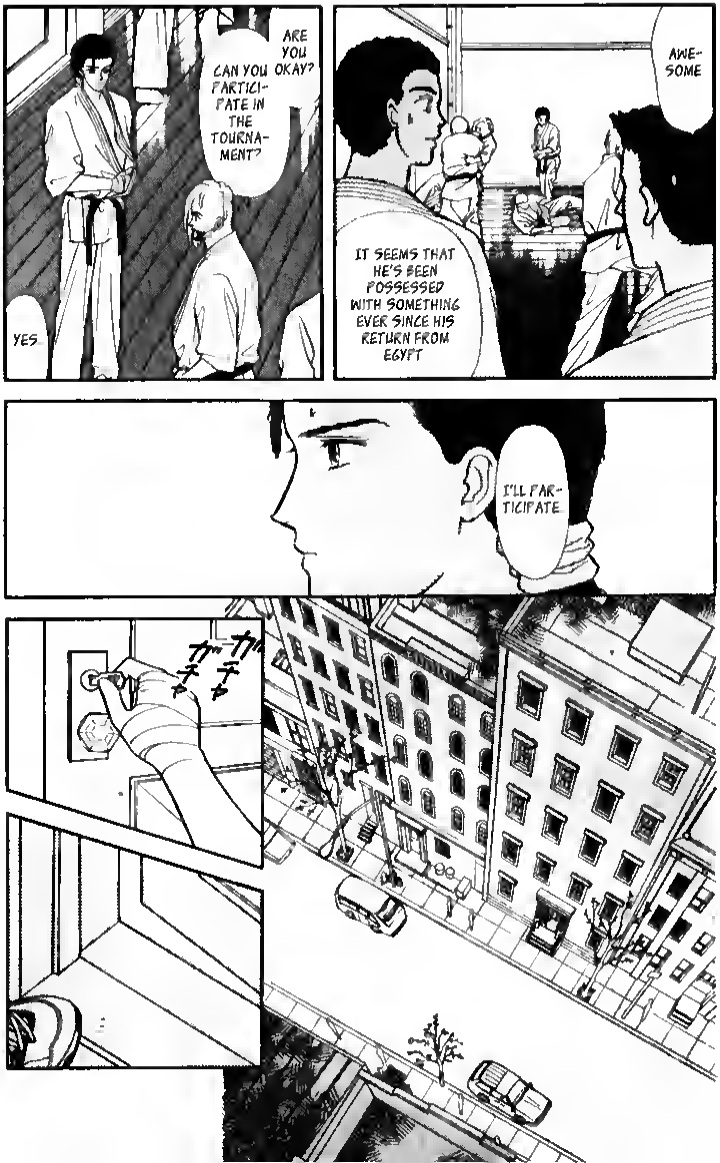
ARE YOU OKAY?
CAN YOU PARTICIPATE IN THE TOURNAMENT?
YES
AWESOME
IT SEEMS THAT HE'S BEEN POSSESSED WITH SOMETHING EVER SINCE HIS RETURN FROM EGYPT
I'LL PARTICIPATE
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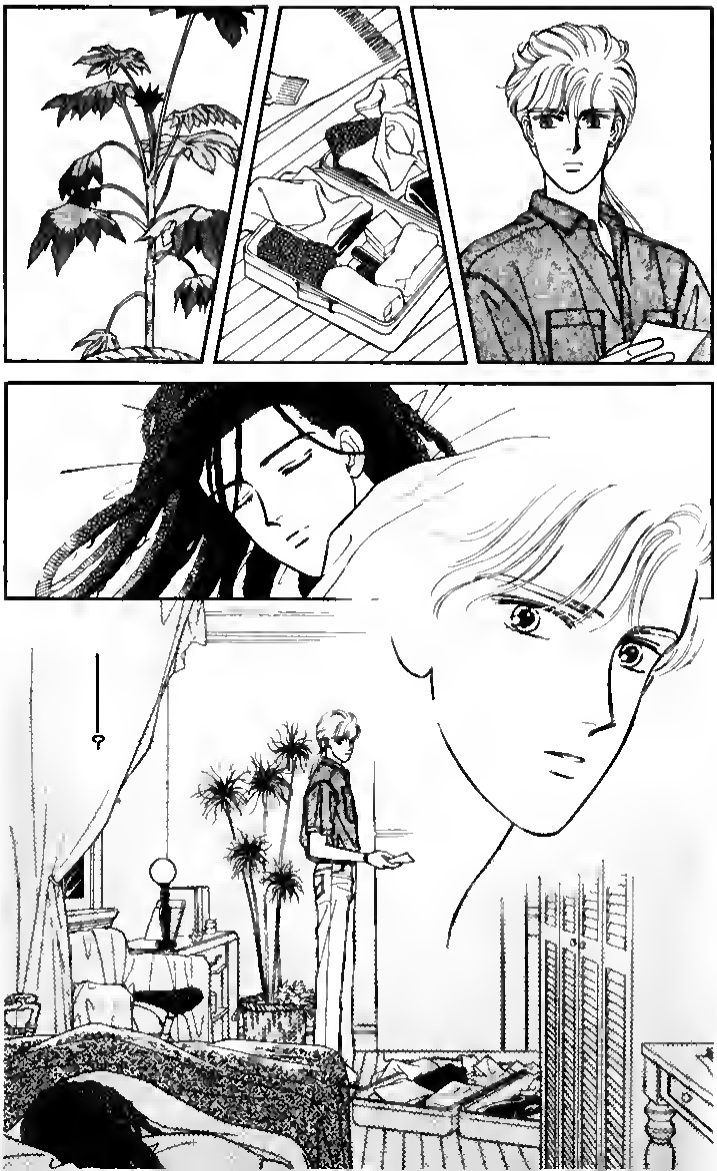
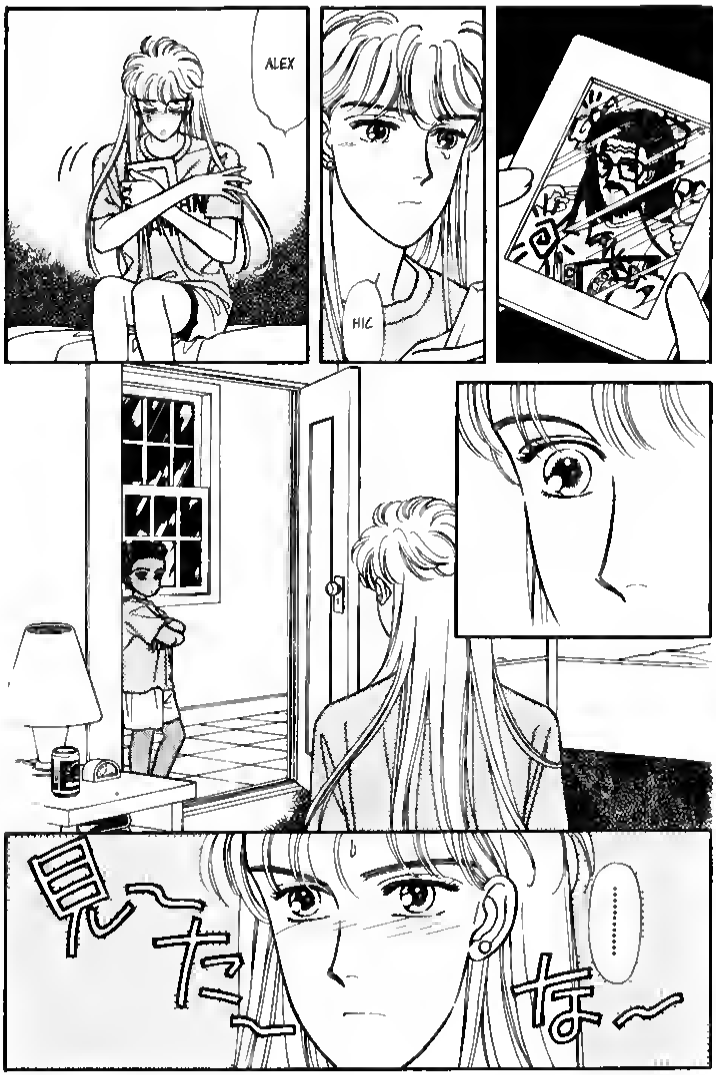
YO!
バタン!
JAKE!
I'VE BEEN BUSY
YOU'VE BEEN BUSY, BUT I'VE HAD NOTHING TO DO!
I KNOW, I KNOW. I'M SORRY
WHEN DID YOU COME BACK?
WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME ANY-THING?
SORRY

YOU'LL BE PARTICIPATING IN A TOURNAMENT
I HEARD FROM MARCUS
HOW WAS YOUR TRIP?
DID YOU TAKE A PICTURE?
NO, BUT MY PICTURE WAS TAKEN
CAN I COME TO SUPPORT YOU?
GOOD LUCK WITH THAT
NO
WHY NOT?!
HEY!
WH...
WHAT?
LEVINE!
BAS-TARD!

HE LOOKS SO UPSET.
THAT'S UNUSUAL
NO WONDER HE DIDN'T PICK UP THE PHONE
To My Alex.
Call me when you're back.
Roxane



WHAT'S WITH THESE PICTURES?
THESE PICTURES WERE TAKEN DURING PARENTS DAY
EVERYONE LOOKS SO SAD.
HAHA HA
THEY ARE HOME SICK ALREADY



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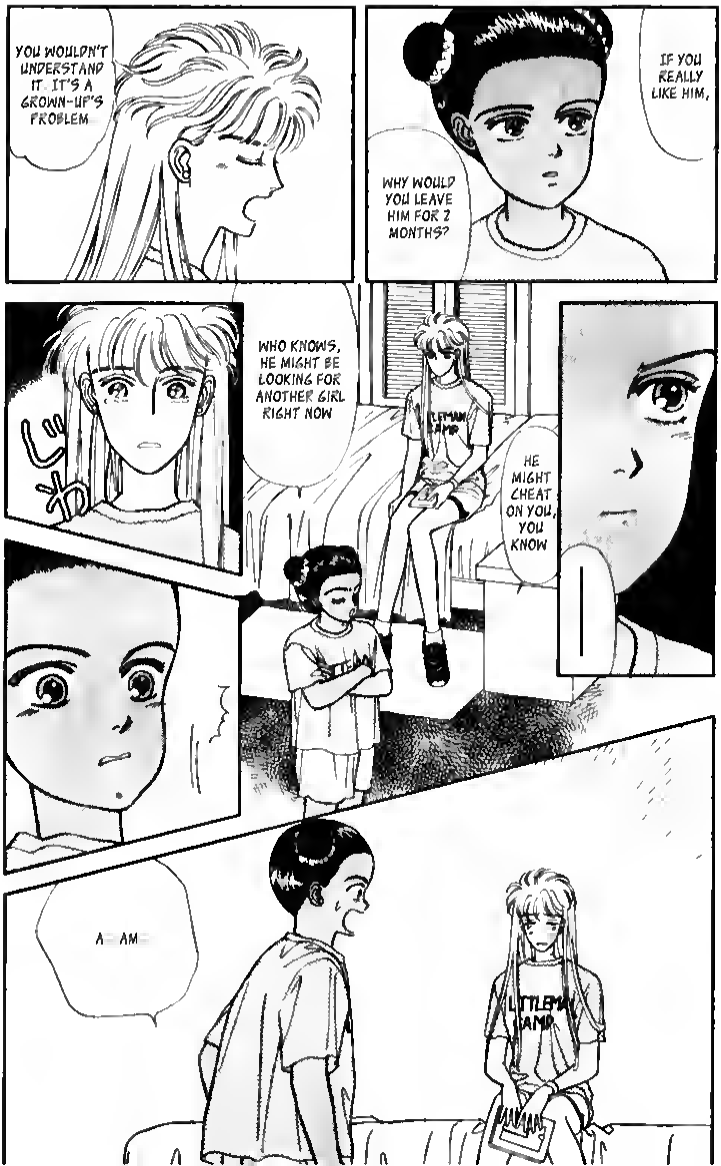
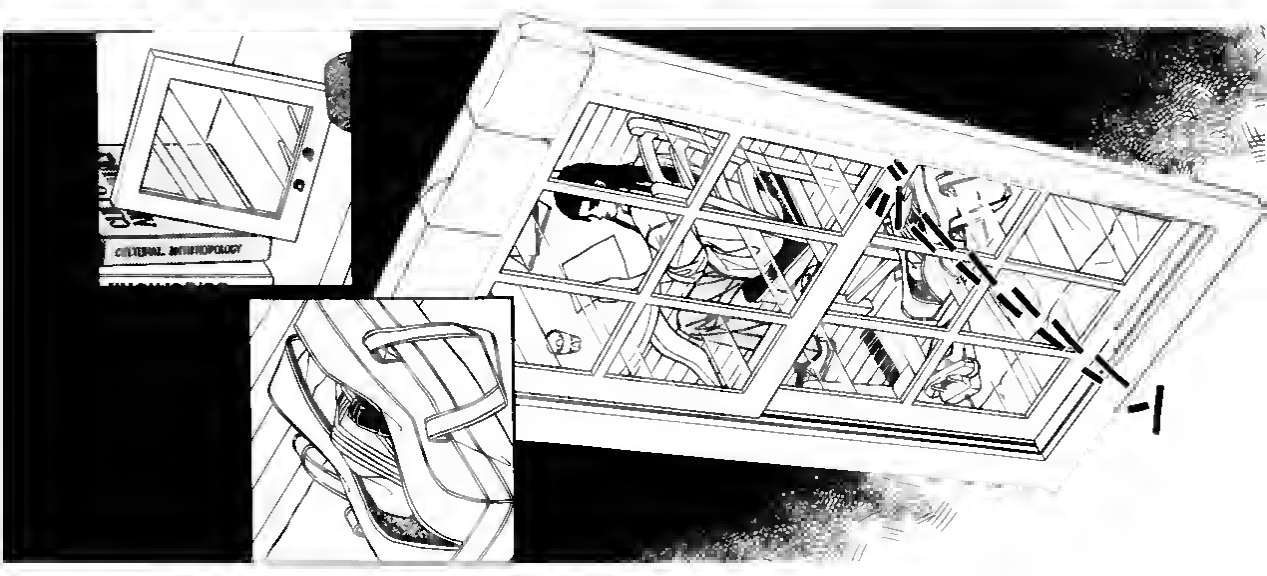

YOU WOULDN'T UNDERSTAND IT. IT'S A GROWN-UP'S PROBLEM
IF YOU REALLY LIKE HIM,
WHY WOULD YOU LEAVE HIM FOR 2 MONTHS?
WHO KNOWS, HE MIGHT BE LOOKING FOR ANOTHER GIRL RIGHT NOW
HE MIGHT CHEAT ON YOU, YOU KNOW
A... AM...

WHAT SHOULD I DO?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN... "A LITTLE"?
I'M NOT! I JUST DRANK A LITTLE
AH!
ARE YOU DRUNK?
HUH?
HERE, TAKE IT!
YOU CAN THROW IT AWAY IF YOU WANT TO!
NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS, I'LL STILL LIKE HIM
I'M A STRONG GIRL
I DON'T NEED HIS PICTURE

EVEN IF HE LIKES ANOTHER GIRL, I'LL STILL LIKE HIM
MAMA
LITTLEMAN CAMP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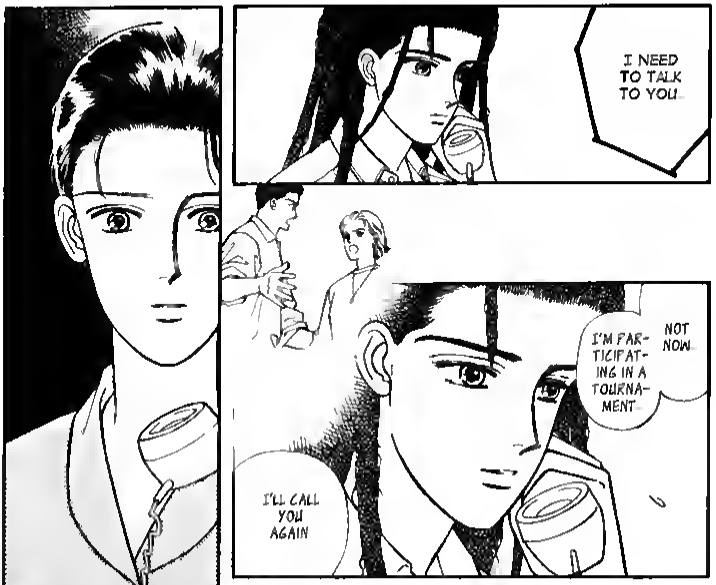
I WAS SO WORRIED SINCE YOU NEVER CALLED ME BACK
CAN I COME?
ALEX! SO YOU'RE HOME ALREADY!
THIS IS ROXANNE!
YES?


I NEED TO TALK TO YOU
NOT NOW
I'M PARTICIPATING IN A TOURNAMENT
I'LL CALL YOU AGAIN

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TOURNAMENT

YO, LEVINE!
HOW ARE YA?
FORCE
NIKE
MARCUS
ALEX LEVINE
THERE HE IS
OH, HIM
GOOD TO SEE YOU AGAIN
LET'S ENJOY TODAY'S TOURNA-MENT
HOW ARE YOU?

COME WITH ME. I'LL TAKE YOU TO LOOK AROUND
FORCE
HERE IS THE LOCKER ROOM
THE CLINIC
I TRIED MY BEST TO AVOID COMING TO THIS ROOM
THIS IS WHERE YOU WEIGH YOURSELF
NO, NOT REALLY
HEY
ARE YOU THE TYPE WHO ALWAYS THINKS INSIDE THE BOX?
IN THAT CASE, WHY DON'T WE TRY TAEKWONDO NEXT TIME?
THE SHOWER INSIDE IS BROKEN, SO DON'T USE IT
FORCE
IT'S YOU LIVE HERE?
THANKS IT WAS SO DE-TAILED

OI!
IF WE START NOW,
THE NEXT OLYMPICS WON'T BE A DREAM ANY-MORE
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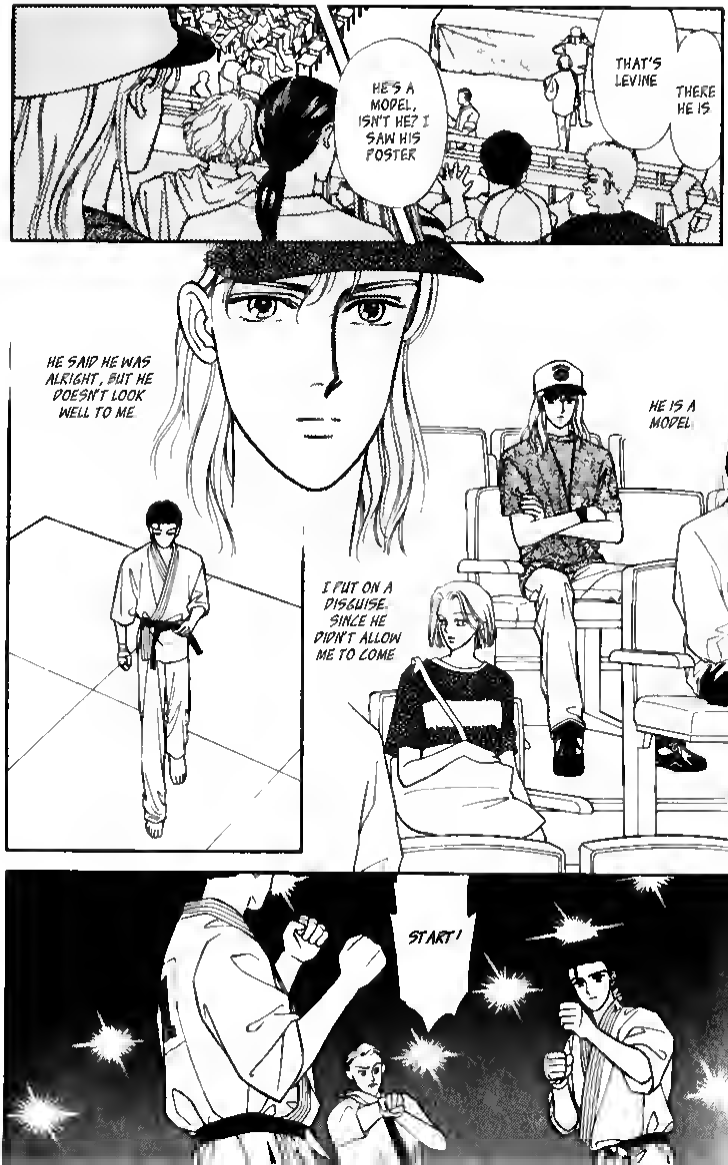
NO
I'M NOT INTER-ESTED
IF I LOSE..
B GROUP
FIRST ROUND

I'M THE SHADOW OF ME
IPPON!
I WANT TO WIN!
JUST FOR ONCE


THERE HE IS
THAT'S LEVINE
HE'S A MODEL, ISN'T HE? I SAW HIS POSTER
HE IS A MODEL
HE SAID HE WAS ALRIGHT, BUT HE DOESN'T LOOK WELL TO ME
I PUT ON A DISGUISE. SINCE HE DIDN'T ALLOW ME TO COME
START!

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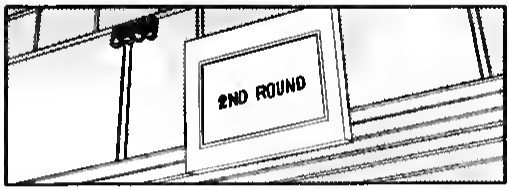
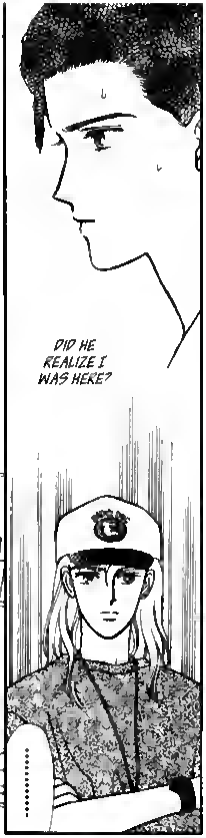
IPPON!
RED!
HE'S STRONG.
HE FINISHED THIS ROUND IN JUST 20-30 SECONDS
WOW!


2ND ROUND


DID HE REALIZE I WAS HERE?
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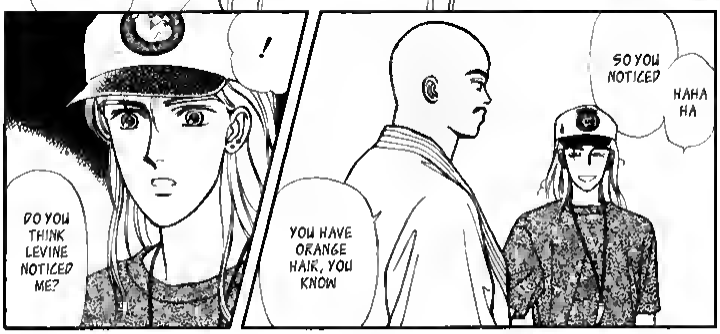
HEY!
MARCUS!
YO!
WHY ARE YOU HIDING?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DO YOU THINK LEVINE NOTICED ME?
YOU HAVE ORANGE HAIR, YOU KNOW
SO YOU NOTICED
HAHA HA

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
I WONDER IF HE'S NERVOUS
HE'S ALWAYS SPACED OUT
NO
I DON'T THINK SO. HE LOOKS SO STRESSED
WELL IT'S QUITE IMPOSSIBLE... ISN'T IT?
DO YOU REALLY THINK HE'S NERVOUS?
ROUND TWO!
THERE HE IS!

START!
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NOT QUITE!

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IPPON!
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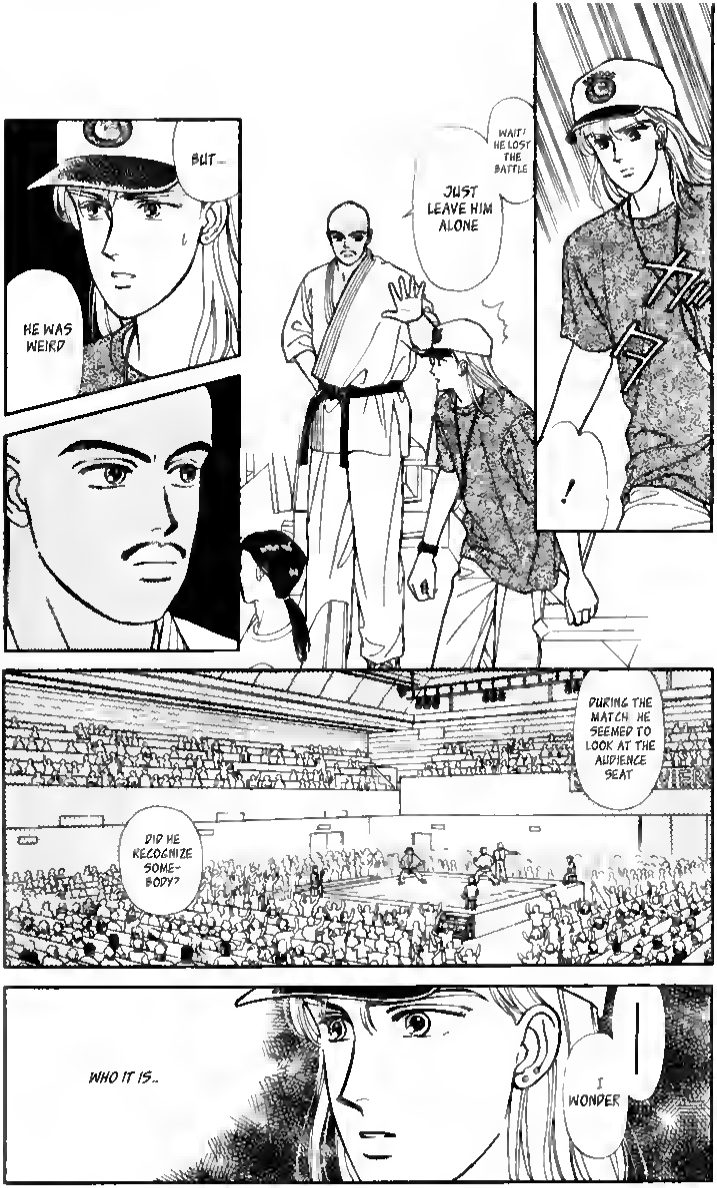
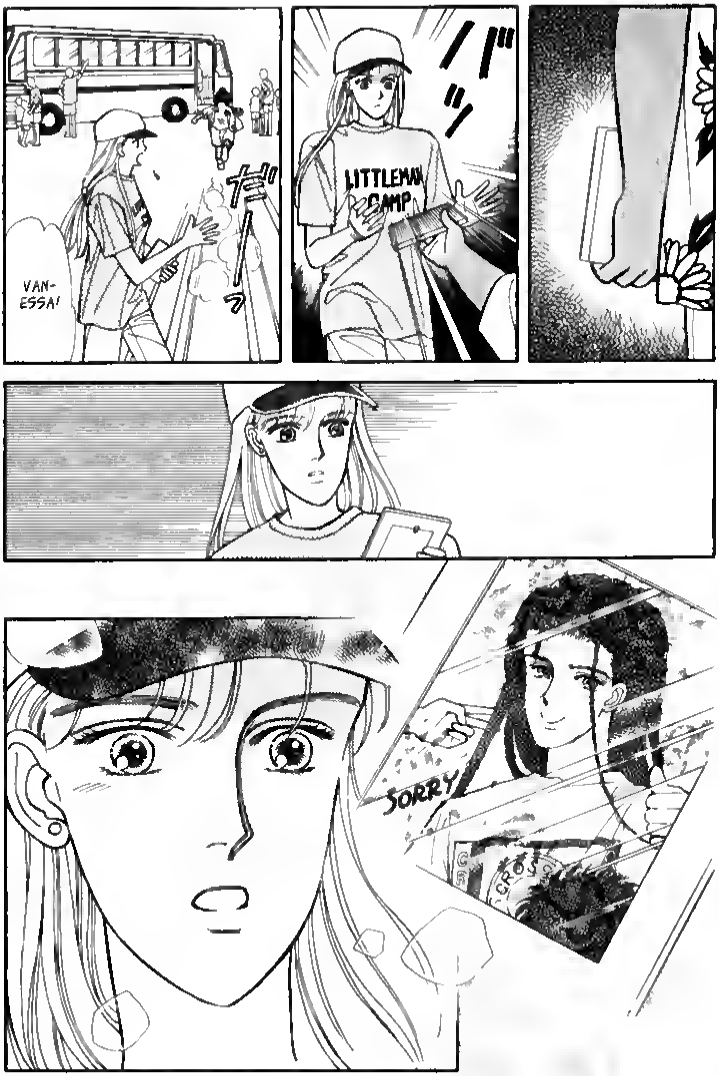
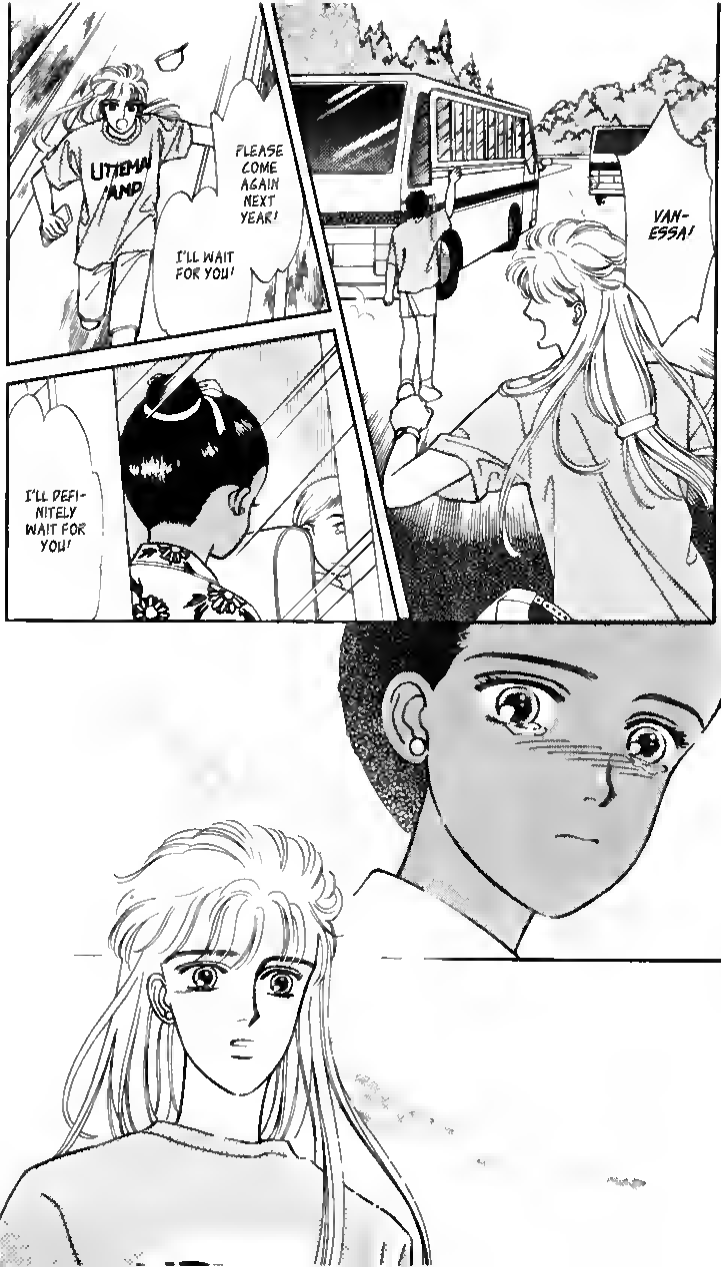

BUT...
HE WAS WEIRD
WAIT! HE LOST THE BATTLE
JUST LEAVE HIM ALONE
!
DURING THE MATCH HE SEEMED TO LOOK AT THE AUDIENCE SEAT
DID HE RECOGNIZE SOME-BODY?
I WONDER
WHO IT IS..

I WONDER...

FINALLY 7 MONTHS HAVE PASSED
.....
AM!
TAKE CARE
BYE TOMMY I'LL SEE YOU AGAIN SOME-DAY

ACH!
VAN-
ESSA!
YOU'RE GLAD THAT YOU WON'T EVER SEE ME AGAIN, AREN'T YOU?
WHAT?
NOT AT ALL
I'LL WRITE YOU A LETTER
PLEASE COME AGAIN NEXT YEAR


VAN-
ESSA!
LITTLEMAN
CAMP
SORRY
GROS


PLEASE COME AGAIN NEXT YEAR!
I'LL WAIT FOR YOU!
VAN-ESSA!
I'LL DEFI-NITELY WAIT FOR YOU!

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LITTLEMAN CAMP
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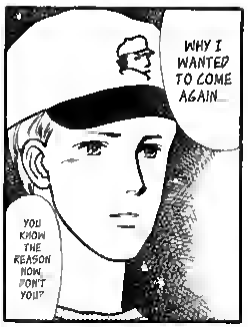
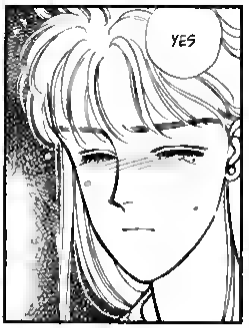
ALEX..


WHY I WANTED TO COME AGAIN...
YOU KNOW THE REASON NOW, DON'T YOU?


YES

SORRY
ALEX...
I HAVE A LOT OF THINGS TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT

WAIT!
ALEX!

NO.
YOU LOST BECAUSE OF ME, DIDN'T YOU?
I'M SORRY.

I NEED TO TALK TO YOU!
PLEASE LISTEN TO ME!
WHY DON'T YOU JUST GO HOME?

ALEX!
.....
LAUNDROMAT
SELF SERVICE

DON'T GET SEFARATED FROM ME
.....

YES?
I JUST GOT BACK
ALEX? IT'S ME!
AMBRO-SIA?
HOW WAS YOUR PART TIME JOB?
IT WAS FUN!
BUT A LOT OF THINGS HAD HAP-PENED

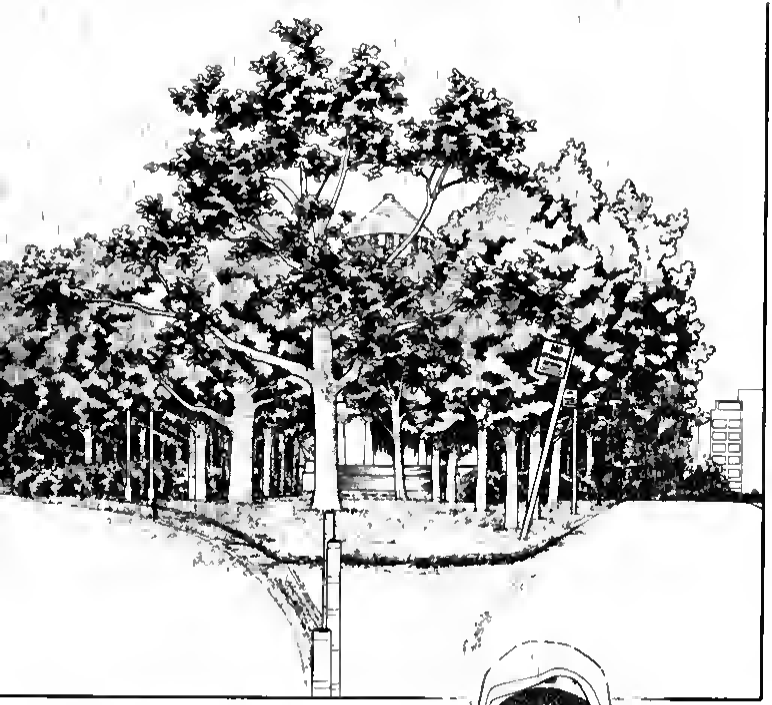
CAN I COME OVER TO YOUR HOUSE?
I WANT TO TALK TO YOU
WHAT ABOUT YOU, ALEX? HOW WAS YOUR TRIP?
YEAH
A LOT OF THINGS HAD HAPPENED TO ME TOO.
SORRY
I DON'T HAVE TIME TODAY
I'M FINE, ALEX.
I'LL LEAVE NOW.
Panasonic
I'LL CALL YOU AGAIN TOMORROW
SEE YOU.

I HEARD A VOICE OF A YOUNG GIRL... A VOICE I'VE NEVER HEARD BEFORE
WHO IS SHE?!

SORRY
I JUST WANT YOU TO LISTEN TO WHAT I HAVE TO SAY
IF YOU NEED TO MEET HER, I CAN COME AGAIN LATER
YEAH
AND ABOUT DAD
I'VE BEEN SO MEAN TO YOU
ARE YOU STILL TALK-ING ABOUT THE MATCH?

I MONOPOLIZED DAD FOR MYSELF.
WE'VE BEEN SEARCHING FOR YOU AND WE ALSO KNOW ABOUT YOUR MOTHER
I KNOW YOU WERE EXPECTING DAD TO COME AND EXPLAIN IT TO YOU, BUT...
I CAME FIRST TO EXPLAIN EVERYTHING TO YOU
DAD NEEDS TIME TO TALK WITH MOM, SO...

ROXANNE?
YES?
DAD WANTS YOU...
TO COME AND STAY WITH US
IN GREECE



IS THAT SO?
YOUR SISTER CAME TO SEE YOU?

I GOT A PHONE CALL FROM ALEXANDROS
AFTER 20 YEARS, WE FINALLY TALKED TO EACH OTHER AGAIN
I TOLD YOU BEFORE
THERE WAS A COUP D'ETAT IN GREECE, SO HE HAD TO RETURN HOME
APRIL 21ST, 1967 GREECE WAS CONTROLLED BY A MILITARY DICTATORSHIP
THAT DAY, THEY ARRESTED MOST PEOPLE
WHO JOINED THE PARLIAMENT AND EXPERTS

HE HAD 2 OPTIONS AT THAT TIME GO BACK TO GREECE WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF BEING CAUGHT
OR HE COULD STAY IN AMERICA BUT HE WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO GO BACK TO GREECE FOR A LONG TIME
HE WAS CONFUSED
HE CHOSE TO RETURN TO HIS HOME COUNTRY
WHEN HE HEARD THE NEWS THAT
MERCURY'S NATIONALITY WAS TAKEN AWAY BY THE DICTATORIAL GOVERNMENT,
THAT DAY WAS EASTER
THE RAIN WAS SO HEAVY
THE GREEK PEOPLE IN NEW YORK GATHERED TOGETHER
WE HUGGED EACH OTHER AND CRIED

HE WAS NOT ALLOWED TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY FOR 5 YEARS
MANY PEOPLE WERE TORTURED AND KILLED JUST FOR TRYING TO RUN AWAY, SO I GUESS HE WAS PRETTY LUCKY
I THINK SO
WAS HE CAUGHT ?
AND MARRIED A WOMAN—
FROM THE SAME COUN-TRY—
I HEARD ABOUT HIM AGAIN 7 YEARS LATER AFTER THE DIC-TATORIAL ERA WAS OVER
HE WENT ALL OVER EUROPE SOON AFTER THAT—

THAT'S WHY HE DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT ME
YES
.....
I CAN'T BLAME HIM. HE WAS TROUBLED BY A LOT OF THINGS AT THAT TIME
AND I MARRIED YOUR NEW FATHER WITHOUT BEING ABLE TO TELL HIM ABOUT IT
HE NEVER THOUGHT THAT A 16-YEAR-OLD GIRL WOULD WANT TO WAIT FOR HIM FOR YEARS...
I FELT SO STUPID
UM...
WHAT DO YOU THINK OF ITS PEOPLE?
YOU WENT TO GREECE, DIDN'T YOU?

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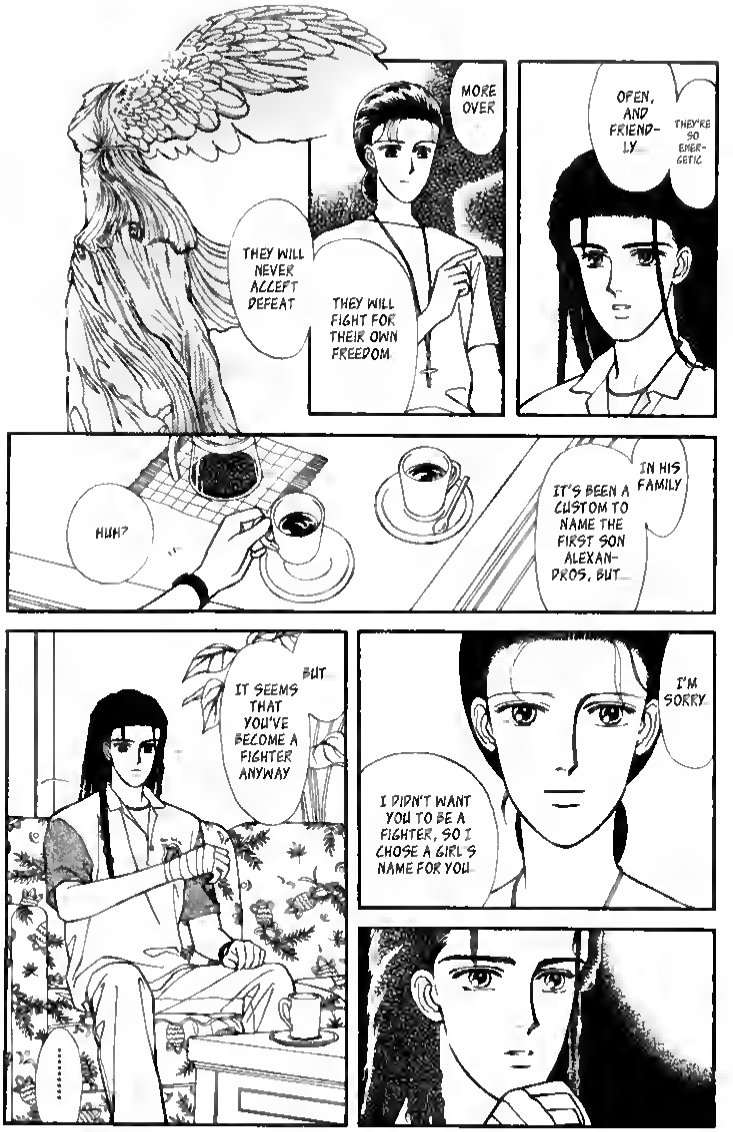
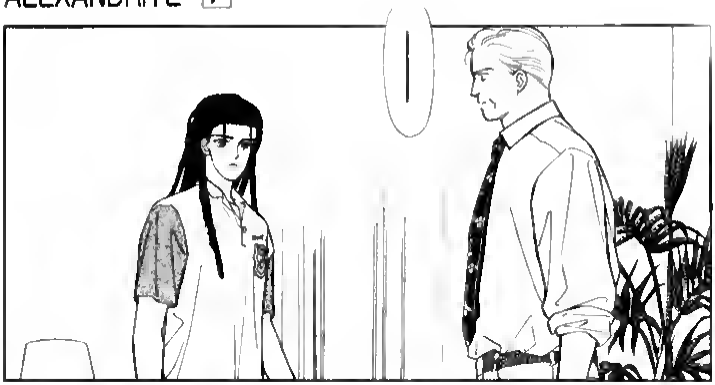
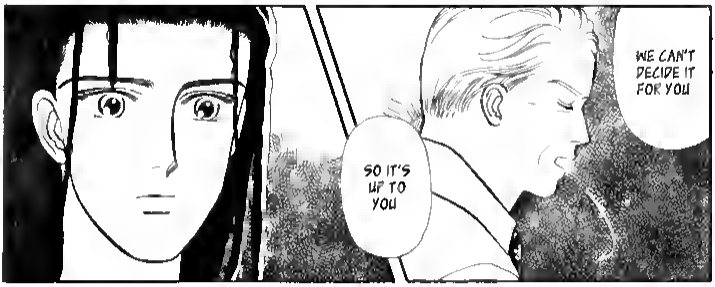
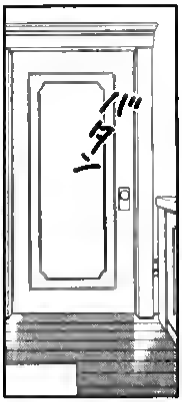

MORE OVER
THEY WILL NEVER ACCEPT DEFEAT
THEY WILL FIGHT FOR THEIR OWN FREEDOM
OPEN, AND FRIEND-LY...
THEY'RE SO ENER-GETIC
IN HIS FAMILY
IT'S BEEN A CUSTOM TO NAME THE FIRST SON ALEXAN-DROS, BUT...
HUH?
BUT...
IT SEEMS THAT YOU'VE BECOME A FIGHTER ANYWAY
I'M SORRY
I DIDN'T WANT YOU TO BE A FIGHTER, SO I CHOSE A GIRL'S NAME FOR YOU...

DO YOU WANT TO LIVE IN GREECE?
IN GREECE.
EVEN WOMEN WILL FIGHT FOR THEMSELVES
.....!

AH!
WHAT ABOUT DAD?
DID HE SAY SOME-THING?
DEAR
WEL-COME HOME
DID YOU HAVE DINNER AL-READY?
YOU'RE LATE TODAY
I JUST TALKED TO ALEX
ABOUT HIM LIVING IN GREECE
YEAH




SO IT'S UP TO YOU
WE CAN'T DECIDE IT FOR YOU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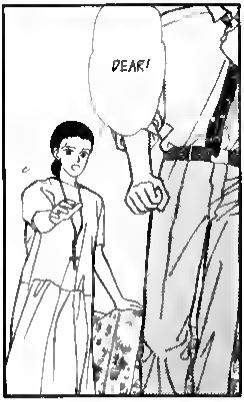
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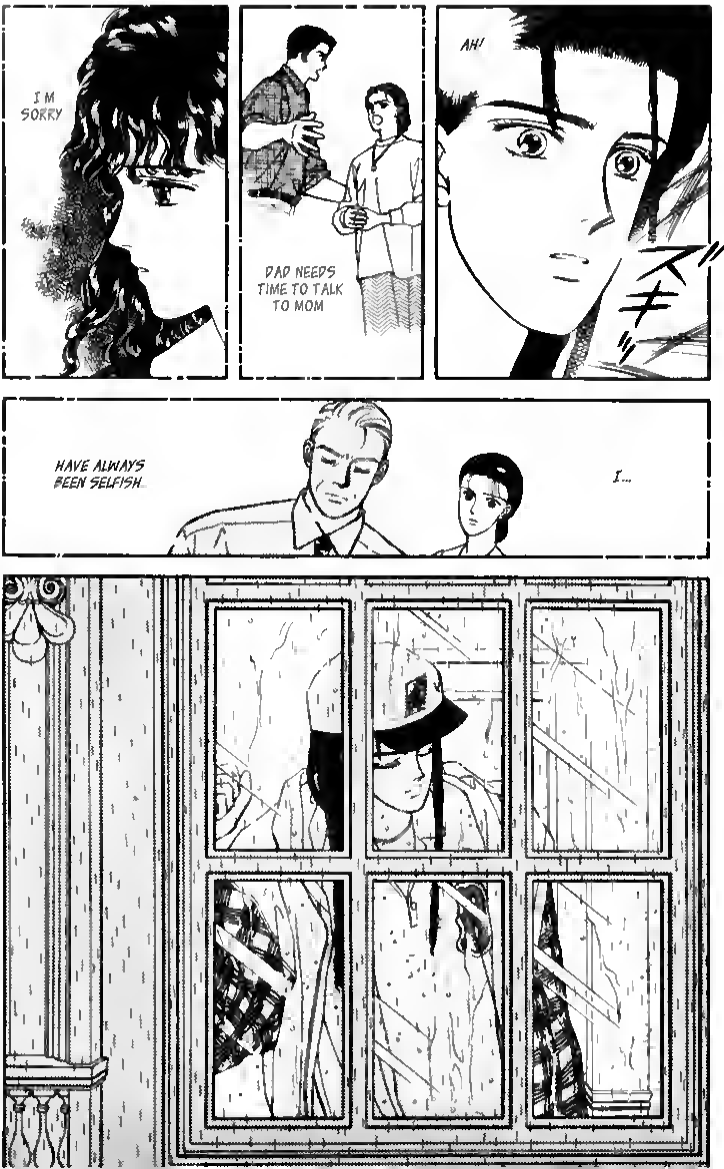
I'M SORRY
DAD NEEDS TIME TO TALK TO MOM
AH!
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HAVE ALWAYS BEEN SELFISH...
I...

YO!
THE WEATHER IS SO NICE!
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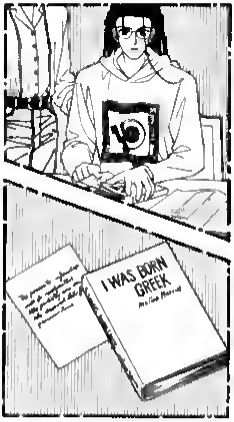
YUP
LOOKS LIKE WE'LL HAVE ANOTHER PERSON STAYING IN THIS HOUSE
THE VIEW IS SPECTACULAR!
I LOVE YOUR HOUSE!
IS THAT SO?

HOW IS IT?
NOBODY PICKED IT UP


I WAS BORN GREEK

I BET HE PUT HIS PHONE IN THE FRIDGE AGAIN.
WHAT?
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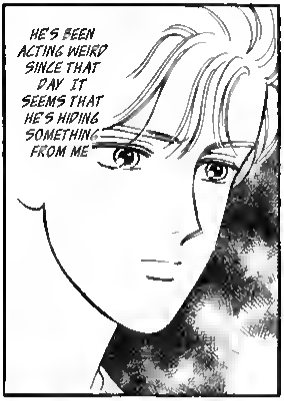
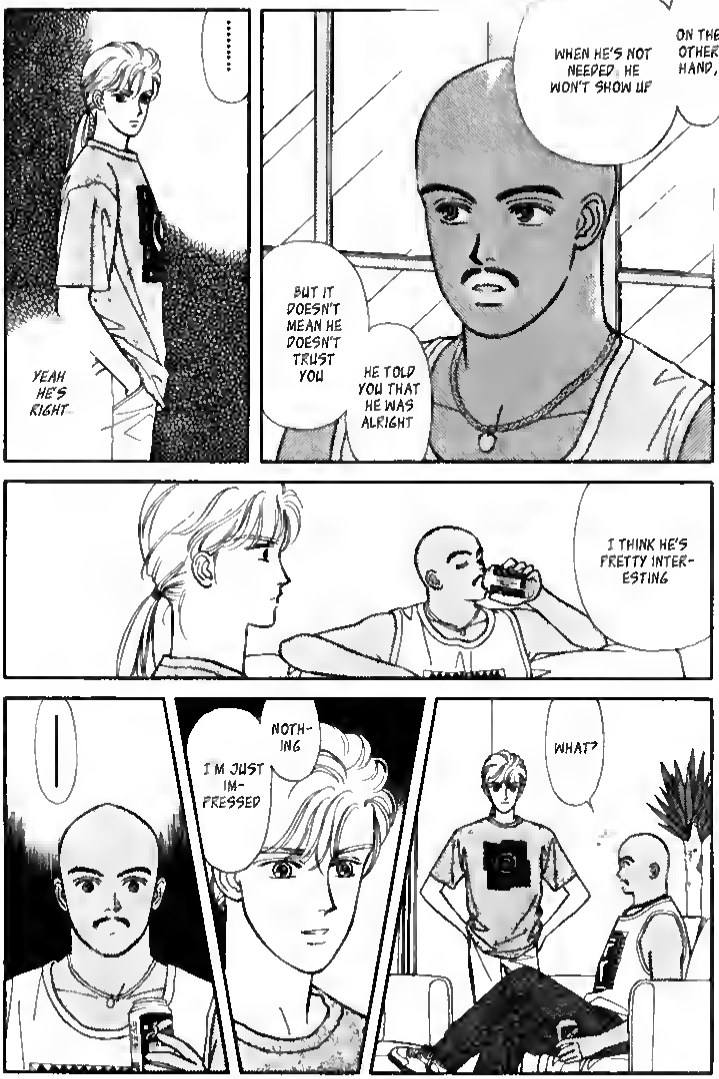
WHAT'S WITH LEVINE?
HE'S NEVER BEEN HOME


HE'S BEEN ACTING WEIRD SINCE THAT DAY IT SEEMS THAT HE'S HIDING SOMETHING FROM ME

WHAT DO YOU THINK?
YOU WANNA GO TO HIS HOUSE AND VISIT HIM?
Reebok

WHY ARE YOU SO UPSET?
OH, COME ON
I DON'T THINK HE'S HOME RIGHT NOW.
WHO ALWAYS WANT TO BE USEFUL TO OTHER PEOPLE, RIGHT?
THERE ARE PEOPLE
UM
DON'T YOU THINK
THAT LEVINE IS THE TYPE?

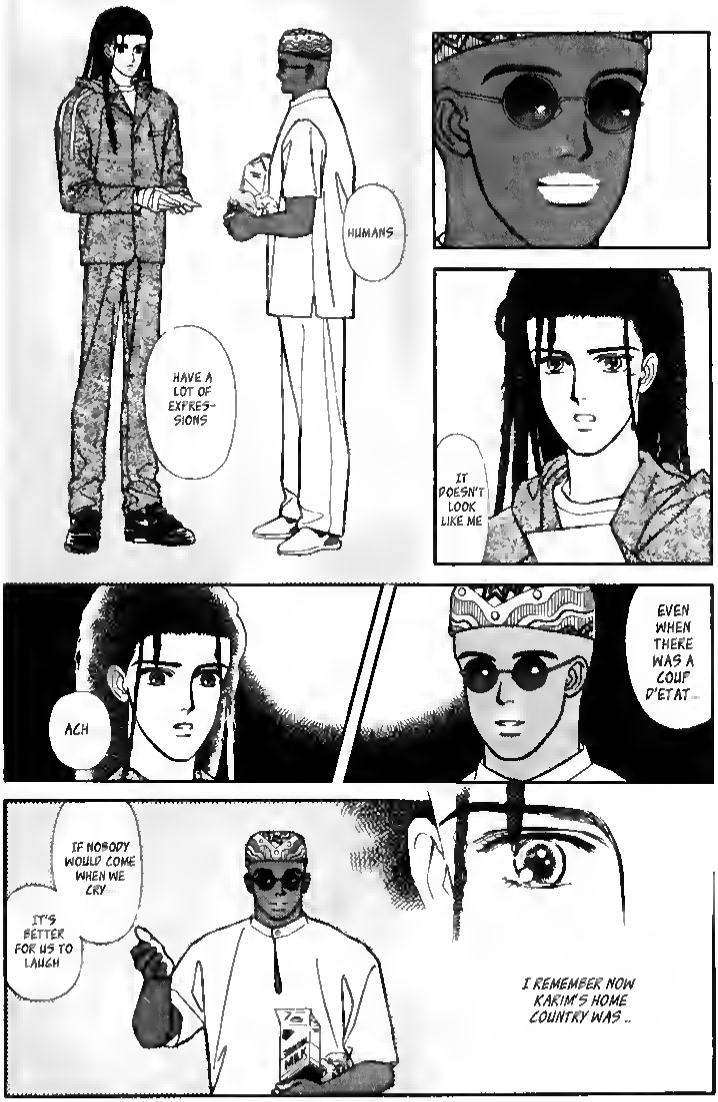

.....
YEAH HE'S RIGHT
BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN HE DOESN'T TRUST YOU
HE TOLD YOU THAT HE WAS ALRIGHT
WHEN HE'S NOT NEEDED HE WON'T SHOW UP
ON THE OTHER HAND,
I THINK HE'S PRETTY INTER-ESTING
I
NOTH-ING
I'M JUST IM-PRESSED
WHAT?

SO HE'S SHY TOO
WH
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
I

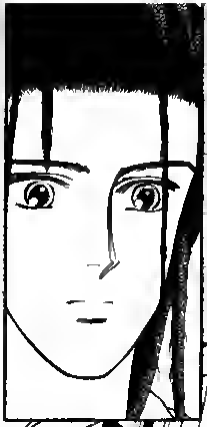
HM, I LIKE THIS PLACE
CHALLENGE
THIS IS EXACTLY LIKE WHAT I IMAGINED FOR TODAY'S SHOOT
RIGHT?
SURE
FOR TODAY
YOU'LL BE A PERSON WHO IS TRYING HIS BEST TO KEEP LIVING IN A DESERTED PLACE

YEAH
YOU DON'T LOOK SO WELL
SUMS.
SO YOU NOTICED?
OKAY, THEN
GOOD LUCK!
IT SEEMS THAT YOU'VE BECOME A FIGHTER ANYWAY
READY?
LOOK UP!
ARE YOU INJURED?
AH, SORRY.
IT'S OKAY, HE DOESN'T NEED TO TAKE IT OFF.

YOU'RE GREAT, KARIM
PER-FECT
LET ME SEE
I DON'T KNOW IF I'M A FIGHTER OR NOT...
HOW I LOOK?
IS THIS
.....


HUMANS
HAVE A LOT OF EXPRESSIONS
IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE ME
EVEN WHEN THERE WAS A COUP D'ETAT...
ACH
IF NOBODY WOULD COME WHEN WE CRY...
IT'S BETTER FOR US TO LAUGH
I REMEMBER NOW KAKIM'S HOME COUNTRY WAS ..

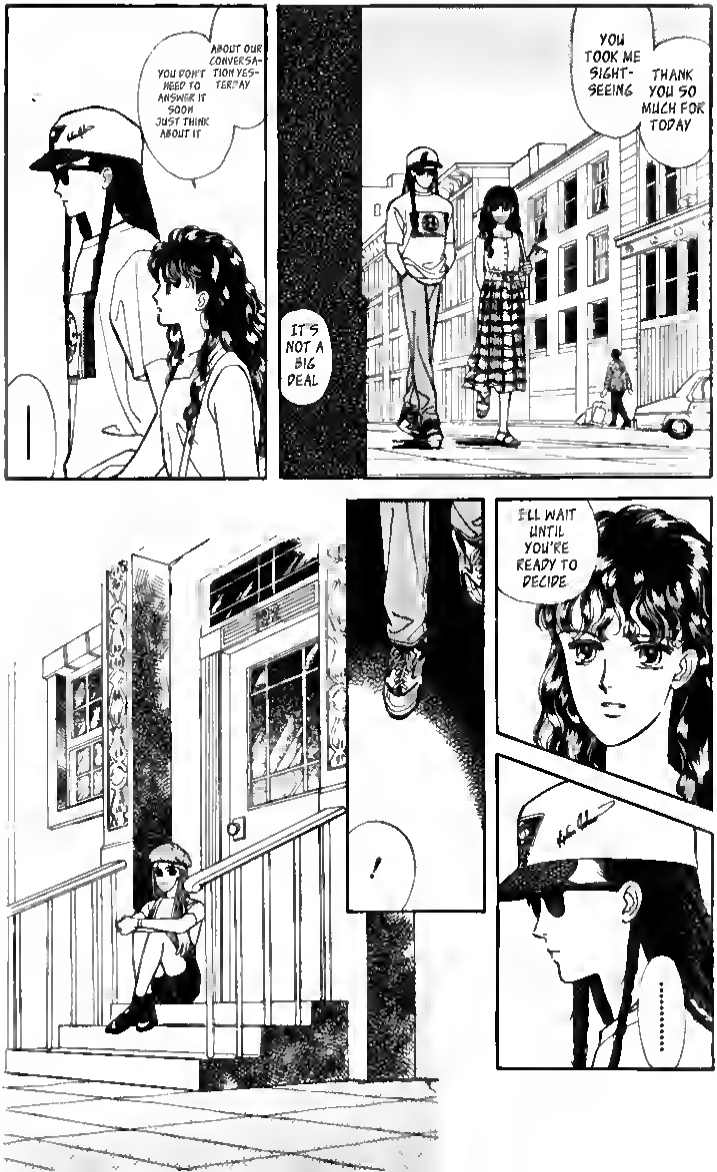
IT REMINDS ME OF THE DAYS I SPENT WITH LOOSE LEAF



THIS
IS YOU

THE PERSON I WANT TO BE IS IN ME...

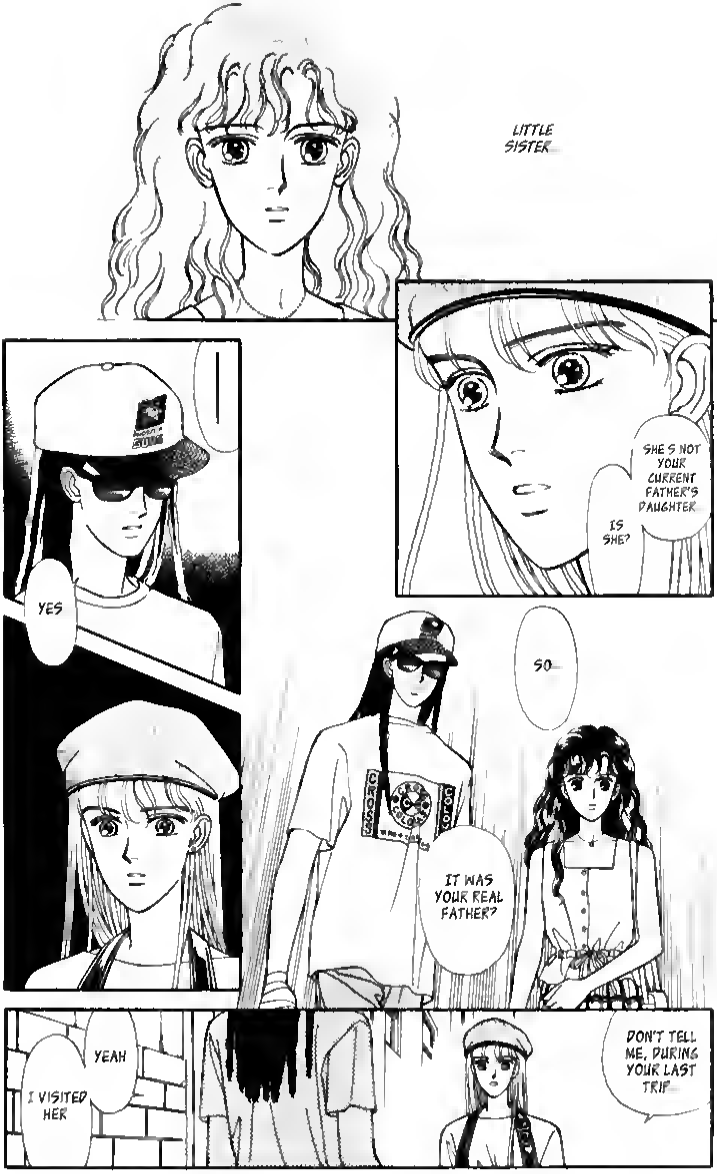
ALEX?
NO... HE NEVER CALLS ME
I WONDER IF HE'S PUT SOMETHING IN THE FRAME YET
.....
ALEX...


ABOUT OUR CONVERSATION YESTERDAY
YOU DON'T NEED TO ANSWER IT SOON JUST THINK ABOUT IT
IT'S NOT A BIG DEAL
YOU TOOK ME SIGHTSEEING
THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR TODAY
!
I'LL WAIT UNTIL YOU'RE READY TO DECIDE
.....

AM-
BRO-
SIA?
HEY,
ALEX
ACH
SHE'S MY
CHILD-
HOOD
FRIEND,
AMBRO-
SIA
HEART
WHO IS
SHE?
ALEX?

THIS GIRL
HER NAME IS SALONIKA
I'M SORRY
MY LITTLE SISTER
FROM MY DAD

LITTLE SISTER...?
WHAT?


LITTLE SISTER
SHE'S NOT YOUR CURRENT FATHER'S DAUGHTER
IS SHE?
I
YES
SO
IT WAS YOUR REAL FATHER?
DON'T TELL ME, DURING YOUR LAST TRIP
YEAH
I VISITED HER

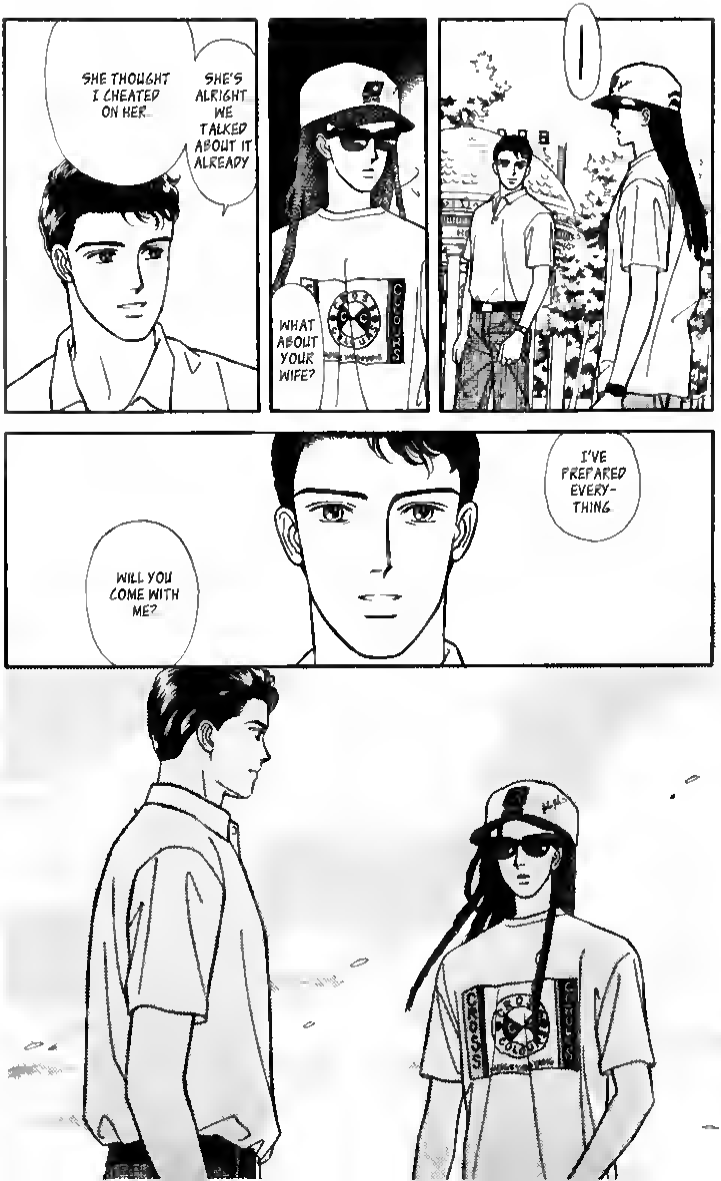
ALEX ASKED ME TO DO SOMETHING SECRET FOR HIM
HE DIDN'T TELL ME ANY-THING
ABOUT SOMETHING THIS BIG
ALEX
DID YOU USE THE FRAME
I GAVE YOU ON YOUR BIRTH-DAY?
NO
SORRY, NOT YET

AMEKO-SIA!
I UNDER-STAND!
DO WHAT-EVER YOU WANT!
DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME! GO AFTER HER!
HURRY!
!

IT'S OKAY
WE'RE CHILD-HOOD FRIENDS AFTER ALL
IT'S NORMAL FOR US TO HAVE A QUARREL ONCE IN A WHILE
BUT...
I
ARE YOU SURE?
YOU DON'T NEED TO WORRY ABOUT SALONIKA

PAPA!
SORRY, I'M LATE
ARE YOU OKAY?
TELL YOU THE TRUTH, I TOLD SALONIKA ABOUT YOUR MOM A LONG TIME AGO
SHE COULD ACCEPT THAT FACT BECAUSE SHE FELT GUILTY ABOUT YOU

ALEX, PLEASE TAKE MY PICTURE!
WOW!
IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE I LAST SAW THAT STATUE!
OKAY
.....
NEXT ONE!
I'M READY!
I REALLY MISSED IT
THE UNIVERSITY HASN'T CHANGED A LOT
BUT
GREECE IS JUST AS BEAUTIFUL
HE'S A WEIRDO

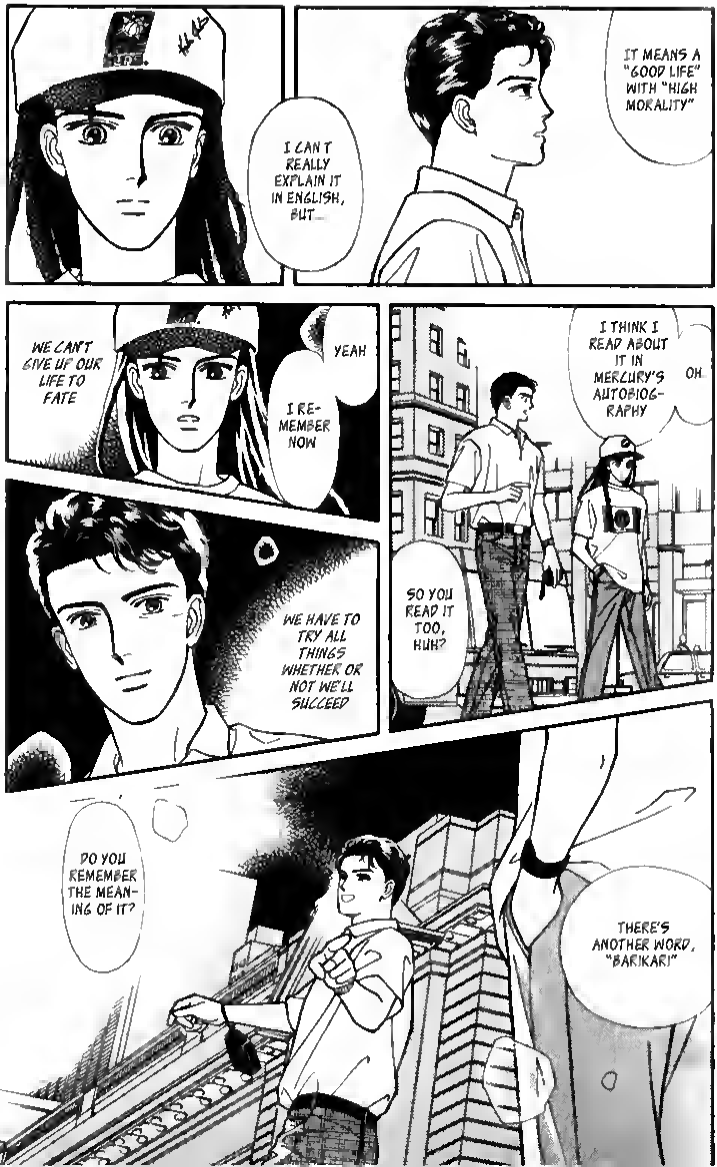

SHE THOUGHT I CHEATED ON HER.
SHE'S ALRIGHT WE TALKED ABOUT IT ALREADY
WHAT ABOUT YOUR WIFE?
I'VE PREPARED EVERY-THING
WILL YOU COME WITH ME?

ARE YOU SERIOUS?
WHY DO YOU HAVE TO GO THIS FAR FOR ME?
RIVIER DI LEVANTE
IT'S OBVIOUS YOU'RE MY SON AFTER ALL
BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN
IN THIS LIFE
THERE ARE TIMES WHEN YOU NEED TO DECIDE YOUR OWN FUTURE YOURSELF
I DON'T MIND IF HE DOESN'T CARE ABOUT ME

20 YEARS AGO WAS NOT AN EASY TIME FOR ME
AFTER A LONG DEBATE, I FINALLY DECIDED TO GO BACK TO GREECE
EVEN THOUGH I THOUGHT ABOUT IT MILLION TIMES BEFORE I DECIDED
HONESTLY
YES?
AT THE END
I STILL REGRETTED MY DECISION
ガシャ
BECAUSE WE CAN'T PREDICT OUR FUTURE
THERE'LL ALWAYS BE A TIME WHEN WE REGRET BIG DECISIONS
……
OF COURSE I DON'T REGRET THE FACT
THAT I BUILT A NEW FAMILY I LOVE MY WIFE AND SALONIKA

YOU CAME TO GREECE...
YOU REMINDED ME OF ANOTHER BURDEN I HAD 20 YEARS AGO
AND THEN...
BUT SOMETIMES, I THOUGHT
"HOW WOULD MY LIFE HAVE BEEN IF I WENT BACK TO NEW YORK?"
IF ONLY I HAD CALLED YOUR MOTHER SOONER...
I'M SORRY
WHEN I KNEW I HAD YOU
I WAS SO CONFUSED

I WANTED TO TEACH HIM HOW TO FISH, PLAY BALL, AND DATE!
DAMMIT! I HATE IT!
I WANTED TO BE THE FATHER OF MY SON LIKE ANY OTHER FATHER!
WHAT? I AM NOT
I THINK YOU'RE DRUNK
YOU DON'T LOOK LIKE A POLITICIAN AT ALL
I'M PROUD TO BE GREEK
A PURE GREEK
DID YOU IMAGINE I'D LOOK LIKE THIS?
HE'S DRUNK!
UM, NOT THAT FAR
TRANS-LATION?
NO
DO YOU KNOW THE GREEK WORD "KEFI"?

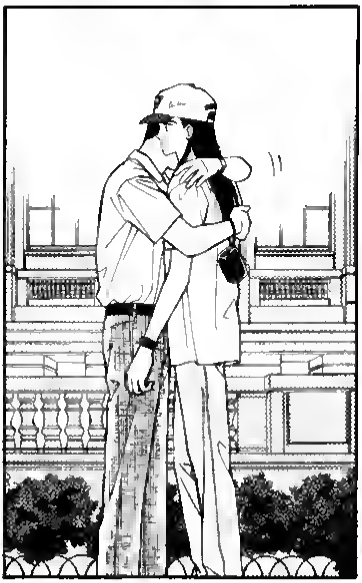

I CAN'T REALLY EXPLAIN IT IN ENGLISH, BUT...
IT MEANS A "GOOD LIFE" WITH "HIGH MORALITY"
WE CAN'T GIVE UP OUR LIFE TO FATE
YEAH
I REMEMBER NOW
I THINK I READ ABOUT IT IN MERCURY'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY
OH
SO YOU READ IT TOO, HUH?
WE HAVE TO TRY ALL THINGS WHETHER OR NOT WE'LL SUCCEED
DO YOU REMEMBER THE MEANING OF IT?
THERE'S ANOTHER WORD, "BARIKARI"

GREEK SURE IS BEAUTIFUL
I'M GLAD I WAS BORN AS A GREEK
"BAKIKARI" MEANS A "FIGHTER"
THEY FIGHT BASED ON "KEFI"
EVEN WHEN WE SUFFER, WE CAN'T FORGET TO SMILE

HERE
I'LL RETURN IT TO YOU

AH
I ALMOST FORGOT

THERE'LL BE A BIG TOURNAMENT NEXT MONTH, WON'T THERE?
I HEARD YOU DID KARATE?
YEAH



I STILL HAVE SOMETHING TO DO IN GREECE, SO I'LL GO THERE WITH SALONIKA
BUT I'LL COME BACK NEXT MONTH DURING THE TOURNAMENT
PLEASE GIVE ME AN ANSWER THAT DAY

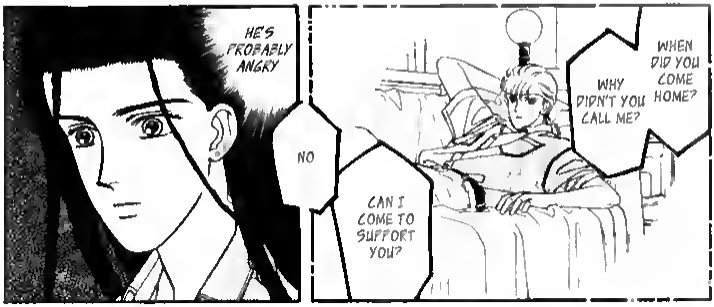
PHOENIX SUNS
I LOVE YOU
THANK YOU FOR VISIT-ING ME

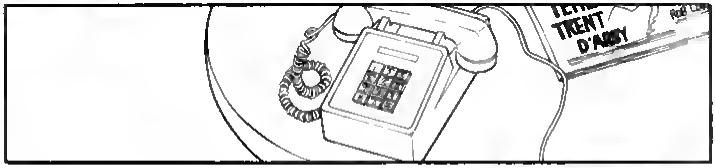
PEOPLE WILL MIS-UNDER-STAND US
WAIT A SEC...

PHOENIX SUNS

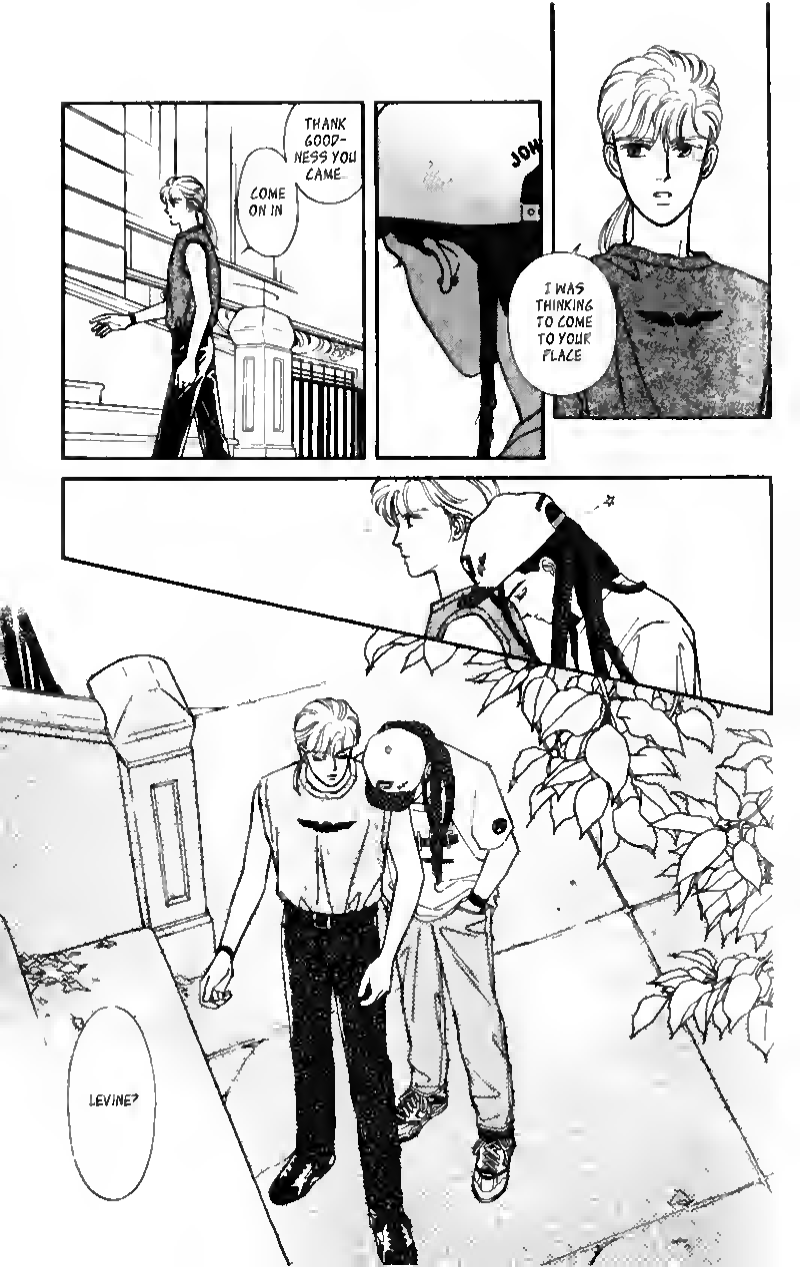
IF YOU WANT TO FINISH YOUR SCHOOLING IN AMERICA
I CAN WAIT UNTIL YOU GRADU-ATE
BUT I WON'T LIE THAT I WANT YOU TO COME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

I LOVE YOU
HE HASN'T CALLED ME EVER SINCE
AND THE LAST TIME I SAW HIM
I ALMOST FORGOT
JAKE

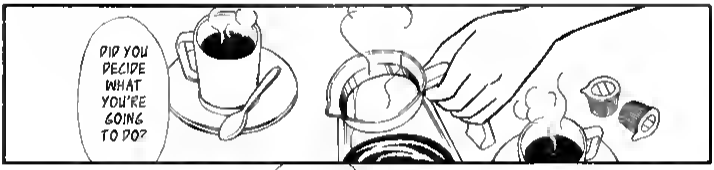

HE'S PROBABLY ANGRY
NO
CAN I COME TO SUPPORT YOU?
WHY DIDN'T YOU CALL ME?
WHEN DID YOU COME HOME?


TRENT
D'AMBY

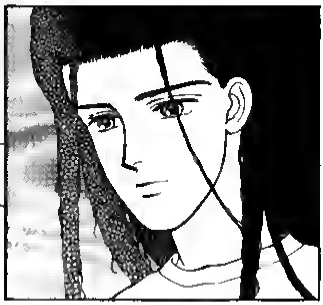
HOW ARE YOU?
YOU
AH!
I
AH
LEVINE!
IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING ELSE TO DO...
I'LL LEAVE
IT'S NOTHING

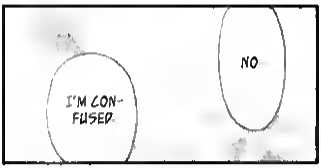

THANK GOOD-NESS YOU CAME
COME ON IN
JOH
I WAS THINKING TO COME TO YOUR PLACE
LEVINE?

I KNEW SOMETHING HAPPENED
SO THAT'S WHY

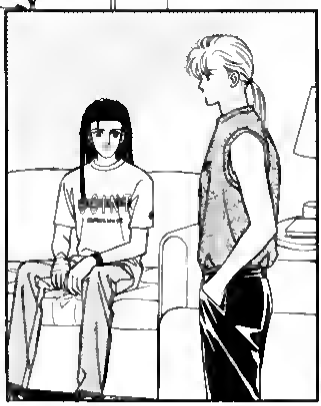

DID YOU DECIDE WHAT YOU'RE GOING TO DO?

I NEVER THOUGHT THAT HE WOULD ASK ME TO STAY WITH HIM
I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO...

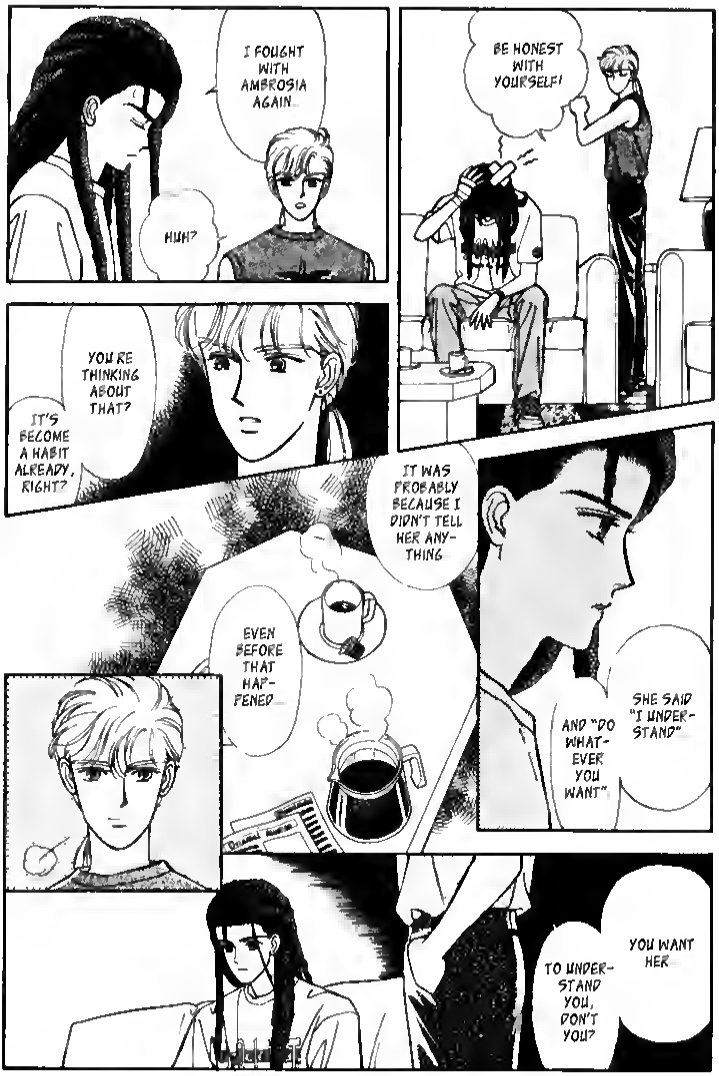



NO
I'M CON-FUSED.

BUT...
I CAN'T TAKE MY MIND OFF OF MY FAMILY AND FRIENDS.
BROOKLYN NEW YORK



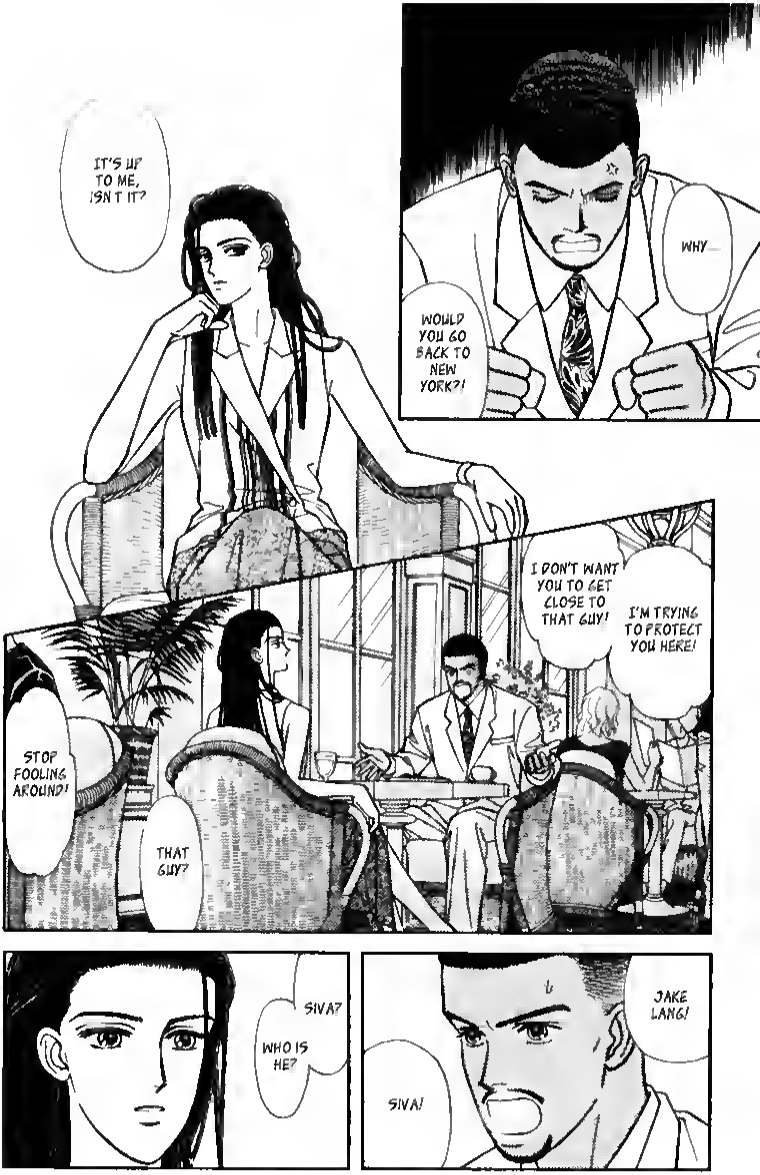
JUST THINK ABOUT YOUR-SELF
YOU DON'T NEED TO THINK ABOUT OTHER PEOPLE


I FOUGHT WITH AMBROSIA AGAIN...
HUH?
BE HONEST WITH YOURSELF!
YOU'RE THINKING ABOUT THAT?
IT'S BECOME A HABIT ALREADY, RIGHT?
IT WAS PROBABLY BECAUSE I DIDN'T TELL HER ANY-THING.
EVEN BEFORE THAT HAP-PENED...
SHE SAID "I UNDER-STAND"
AND "DO WHAT-EVER YOU WANT".
YOU WANT HER
TO UNDER-STAND YOU, DON'T YOU?

WHY DON'T WE EAT FIRST?
I MADE SOUP
SURE.
ROY IS IN L.A. RIGHT NOW AND HE WON'T BE BACK FOR THE TIME BEING.
WHY DON'T YOU SPEND THE NIGHT AT MY HOUSE?
OKAY
WHAT?

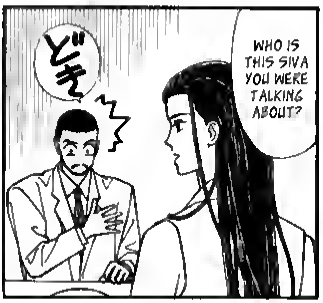
I'M SO HAPPY YOU CAME OVER
THINK CAREFULLY ABOUT WHAT YOU WANT TO DO TONIGHT BE HONEST
THANK YOU FOR VISITING ME
THERE'LL ALWAYS BE A TIME WHEN WE REGRET BIG DECISIONS
THIS IS HIS FAULT.
HE DIDN'T NEED TO SAY THAT. I'M CONFUSED NOW.
IN THIS LIFE, THERE ARE TIMES WHEN YOU NEED TO DECIDE YOUR OWN FUTURE YOURSELF

THERE ARE TWO PATHS IN FRONT OF ME...
PLEASE ANSWER ME ON THE TOURNAMENT DAY


IT'S UP TO ME, ISN'T IT?
WHY—
WOULD YOU GO BACK TO NEW YORK?!
I DON'T WANT YOU TO GET CLOSE TO THAT GUY!
I'M TRYING TO PROTECT YOU HERE!
STOP FOOLING AROUND!
THAT GUY?
SIVA?
WHO IS HE?
JAKE LANG!
SIVA!

DID HE EVER CALL YOU?
THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT!
NOPE NOT EVEN ONCE
IF I'M NOT MISTAKEN... SIVA IS...
YOU DON'T NEED TO DO THE POSE!

SIVA?
Chapter 10 "I'm Looking For The One" (To Be With Me)
by JAZZY JEFF & FRESH PRINCE
The End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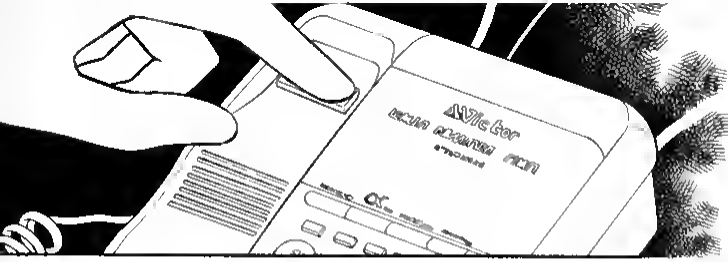
WHO IS THIS SIVA YOU WERE TALKING ABOUT?

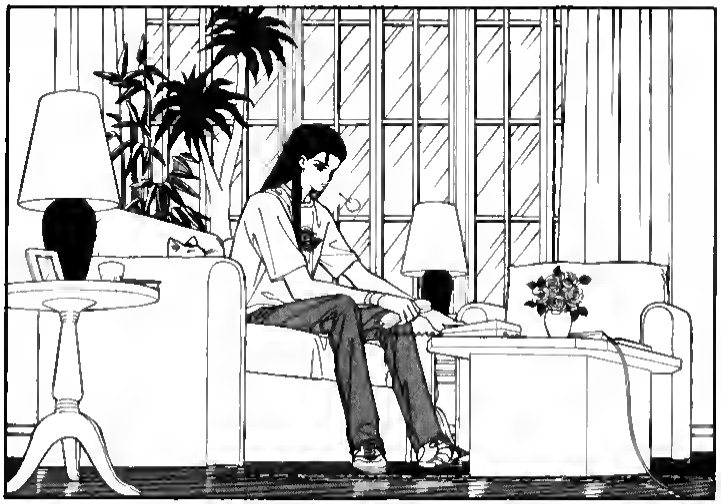
WHO IS HE?
AH! SHUD DUP!
WHO IS HE?

Chapter 11.
"LOVE WILL NEVER DO (WITHOUT YOU)"
by JANET JACKSON

ALEXANDRITE
○アレクサンドライト○

AM!
COULD YOU PLEASE PICK UP THE PHONE?
I WONDER
DID YOU PICK IT UP? WHO WAS IT FROM?
I DON'T KNOW HE HUNG UP ALREADY

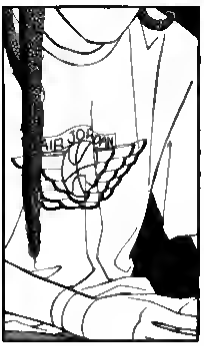




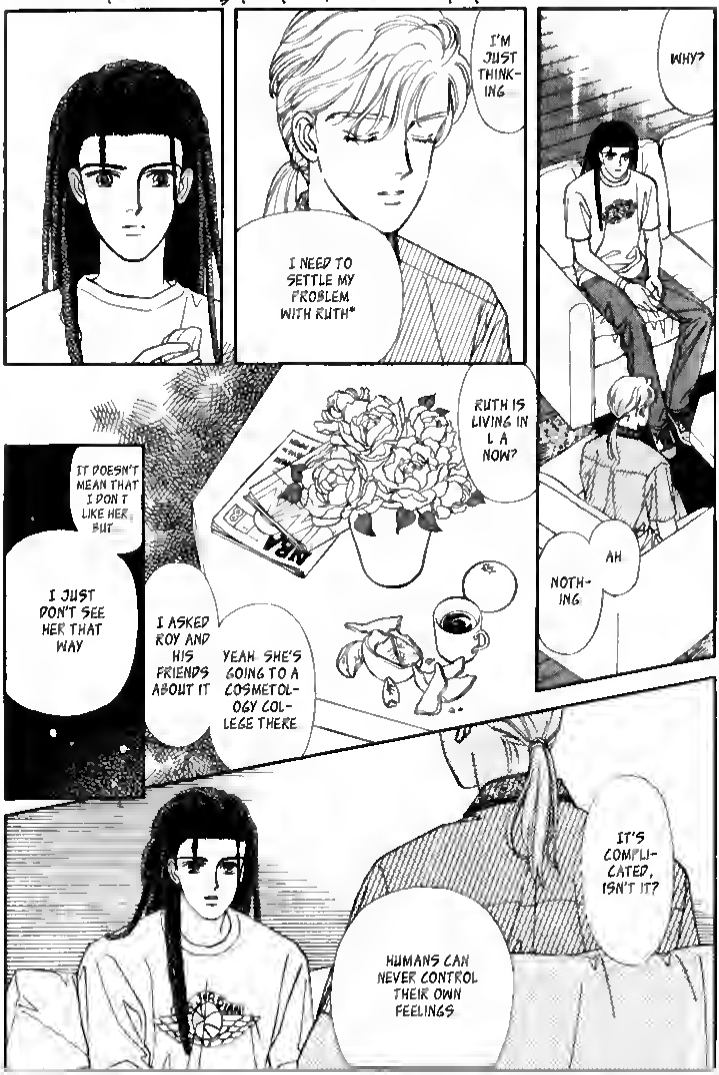
HELLO!
I JUST CAME BACK
CALIFORNIA CRUISE
WE'RE HOME!

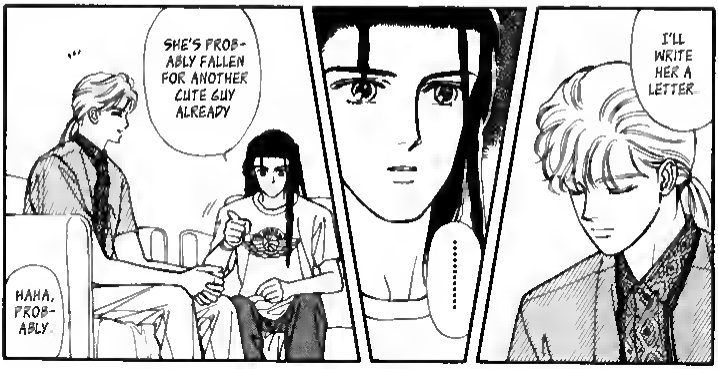
IT'S SO HOT EVEN IN N.Y.
I'M TAKING A SHOWER NOW
OKAY
WELCOME BACK WHERE'S ANISE?
WE DROPPED HER OFF FIRST
BECAUSE HER HOUSE IS CLOSER THAN OURS
HE'S BROUGHT US A BOX OF ORANGES
YAY! LET'S EAT!
ORANGE

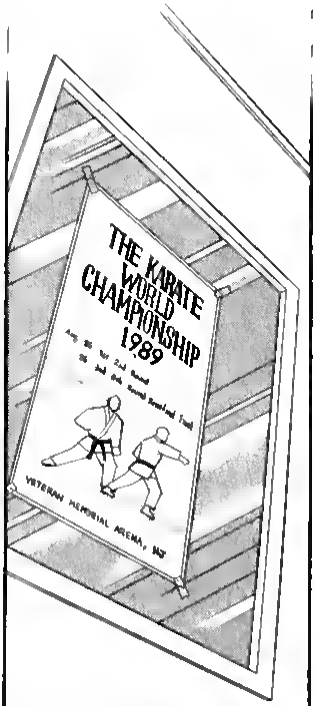
I'M SURE YOU HAVE A GIRL-FRIEND DON'T YOU?
JUST BY LOOKING AT YOUR FACE. I KNOW YOU'RE THE TYPE OF PERSON WHO COULD NEVER MAKE ELLEN HAPPY!



*Ruth is one of the Cipher manga's characters.
She's Anise's friend and a huge fan of Siva, who in the end fell for Jake.


I'M JUST THINKING...
I NEED TO SETTLE MY PROBLEM WITH RUTH*
WHY?
AH NOTHING
RUTH IS LIVING IN L A NOW?
YEAH SHE'S GOING TO A COSMETOLOGY COLLEGE THERE
I ASKED ROY AND HIS FRIENDS ABOUT IT
IT DOESN'T MEAN THAT I DON'T LIKE HER, BUT...
I JUST DON'T SEE HER THAT WAY
IT'S COMPLICATED, ISN'T IT?
HUMANS CAN NEVER CONTROL THEIR OWN FEELINGS


SHE'S PROBABLY FALLEN FOR ANOTHER CUTE GUY ALREADY
HAHA, PROBABLY
I'LL WRITE HER A LETTER.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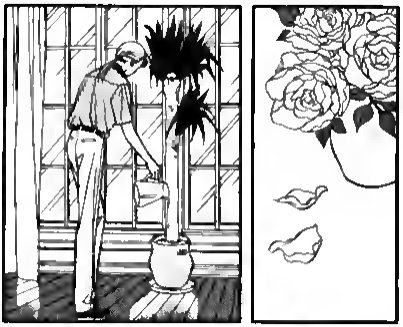
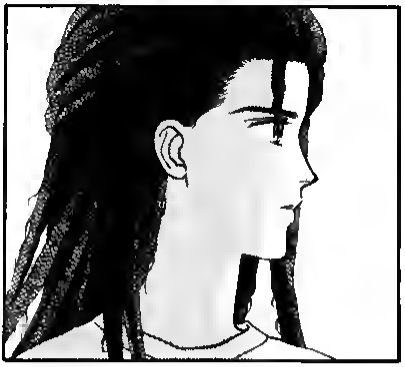
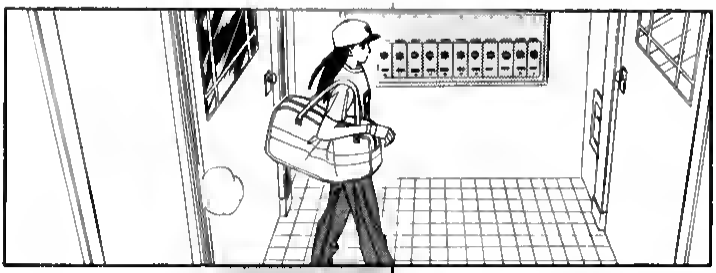




BE HONEST
WHAT DO YOU WANT?
WHAT WILL YOU DECIDE?

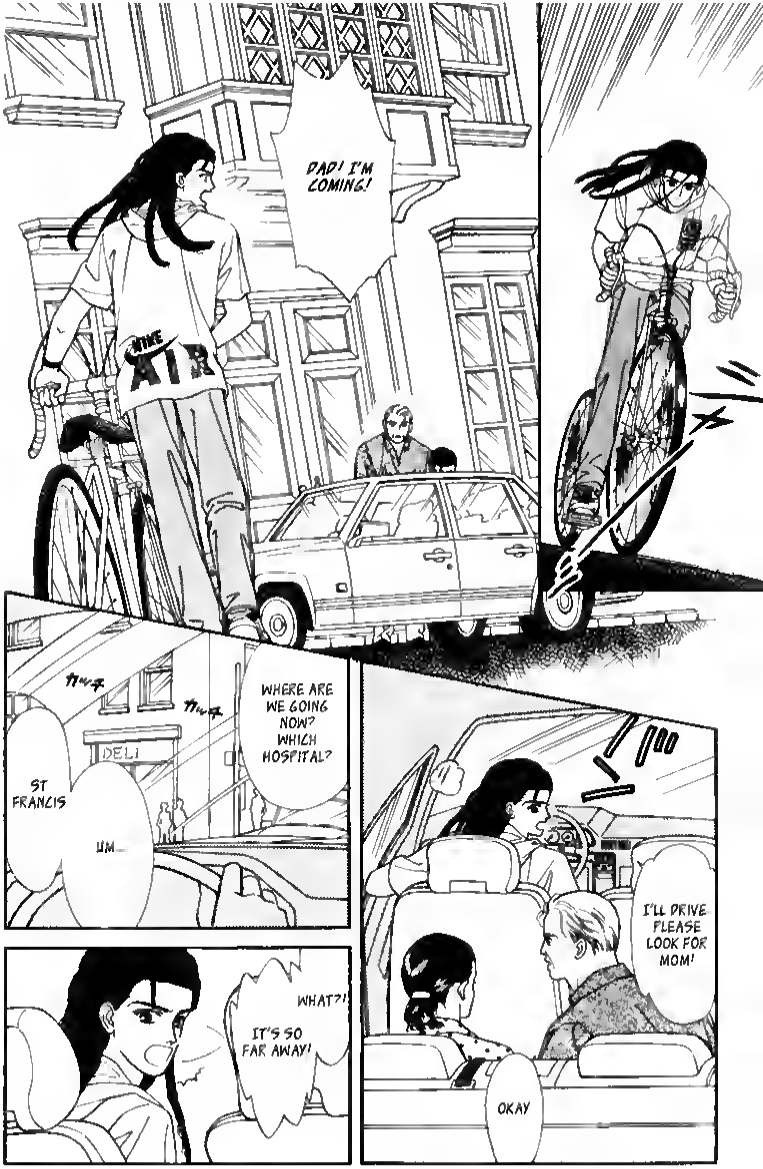


THERE WAS A PHONE CALL FOR YOU FROM GREECE PLEASE CALL ME
ROXANNE
There was a phone call for you from Greece Please call me
Roxanne

I HEARD YOU GOT A PHONE CALL FROM GREECE?
YES
HE TOLD ME THAT HE CALLED YOU FIRST, BUT YOU DIDN'T PICK IT UP
YES
STARTING TOMORROW, FOR 2 DAYS?
YOU'LL HAVE A TOURNAMENT SOON, WON'T YOU?
ALEX?
HE WANTS YOU TO ANSWER HIM BY THEN
HE SAID HE PROBABLY COULDN'T MAKE IT ON THE FIRST DAY, BUT
HE WILL COME ON THE SECOND DAY FOR SURE

IS DAD HOME?
YEAH
HE'S EARLY TODAY
DID HE SAY SOME-THING?
UM
NO
.....
ALEX—
WAIT—
WHAT?

THE BABY...
I THINK IT'LL BE BORN SOON...
ROXANNE?!


DAD! I'M COMING!
NIKE AIR
DELI
WHERE ARE WE GOING NOW? WHICH HOSPITAL?
ST FRANCIS
UM...
I'LL DRIVE PLEASE LOOK FOR MOM!
OKAY
WHAT?!
IT'S SO FAR AWAY!

HUH?
BECAUSE THEY HAVE A FEMALE DOCTOR!
AH...
THE DOCTOR IS MY COL-LEAGUE
IF WE USE THE FREE-WAY, IT'LL ONLY TAKE 10 MINUTES
YEAH...
THE DUE DATE WAS SOONER THAN EX-PECTED, WASN'T IT?

HANG IN THERE, MOM
WE'RE ALMOST THERE
WILL SHE BE ABLE TO MAKE IT?
IF NOT, THERE'S A CHANCE THAT THE BABY WILL DIE
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WHY DID YOU STOP?
WHAT'S WRONG?
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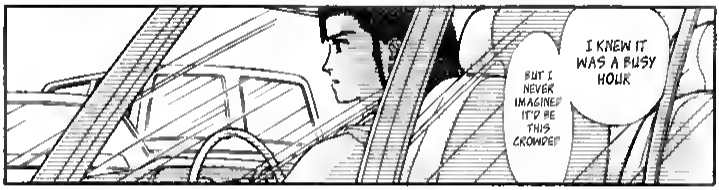
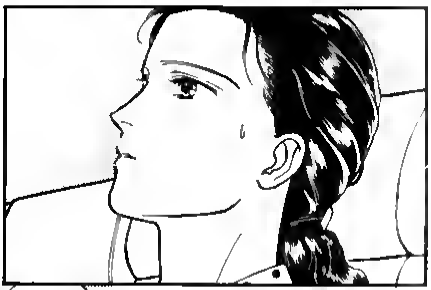
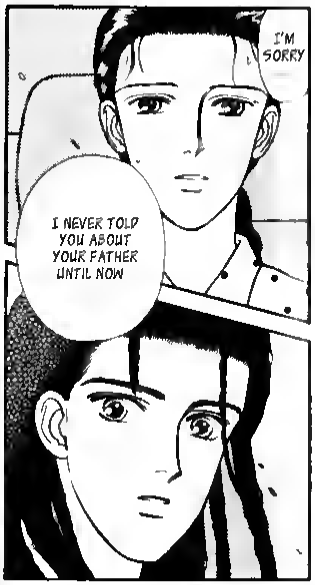

I KNEW IT WAS A BUSY HOUR
BUT I NEVER IMAGINED IT'D BE THIS CROWDED!

ALEX...



I WAS AFRAID THAT YOU'D HATE HIM
I DIDN'T WANT YOU TO HATE HIM, SO...
I NEVER TOLD YOU ANYTHING


I'M SORRY
I NEVER TOLD YOU ABOUT YOUR FATHER UNTIL NOW

WHAT'S HAPPENING UP THERE!
I'M GONNA CHECK
DON'T TALK NONSENSE AT A TIME LIKE THIS!
DAD!
THERE'S BEEN AN ACCIDENT.
WHAT?!
THERE'S AN ACCIDENT AT THE FRONT! IT'S CAUSING A LONG QUEUE!

IS THERE A DOCTOR HERE?
AN ACCI-DENT?
CRAP!

THEY WANT A DOCTOR, DAD!
WHY'RE YOU LOOKING AT ME? I'M THE ONE WHO'S LOOKING FOR A DOCTOR!
I'LL CHECK THE SITUATION FIRST

I'LL GO THERE
WHAT?
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IDIOT! WHY ARE YOU GOING UP?

AIR
POLICE LINE
DO NO

DAD!
WHAT?
TO THE ACCI-DENT SITE!
I'M REALLY GOING NOW!
STOP FOOLING AROUND! ARE YOU GONNA PRETEND TO BE A BOY SCOUT AT A TIME LIKE THIS?!
DAD! REMEM-BER! THIS IS AN ACCIDENT!

THE AMBU-LANCES WILL COME SOON!
GET READY!
WE CAN ASK THEM TO TAKE MOM TOO
I'LL GO NOW!
DON'T MOVE!
ROX-ANNE, WAIT!
I'VE BEEN THINKING
HE...

MAYBE IT'S JUST MY IMAGINATION BUT...
WHEN THERE'S AN EMERGENCY, HE'S ALWAYS THE FIRST PERSON WHO KNOWS WHAT TO DO AND DOES IT RIGHT
THAT BOY...
IF HE WANTS TO DO SOMETHING, THERE ARE TIMES WHEN HE'LL FORGET EVERYTHING ELSE AND JUST FOCUS ON HIS GOAL
THAT'S BECAUSE HE'S A SON OF THE GREEK
YOU SHOULD ADMIT THAT FACT

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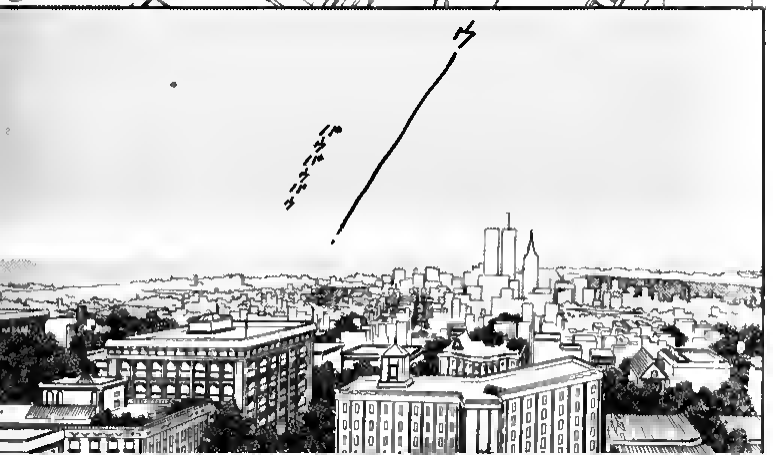

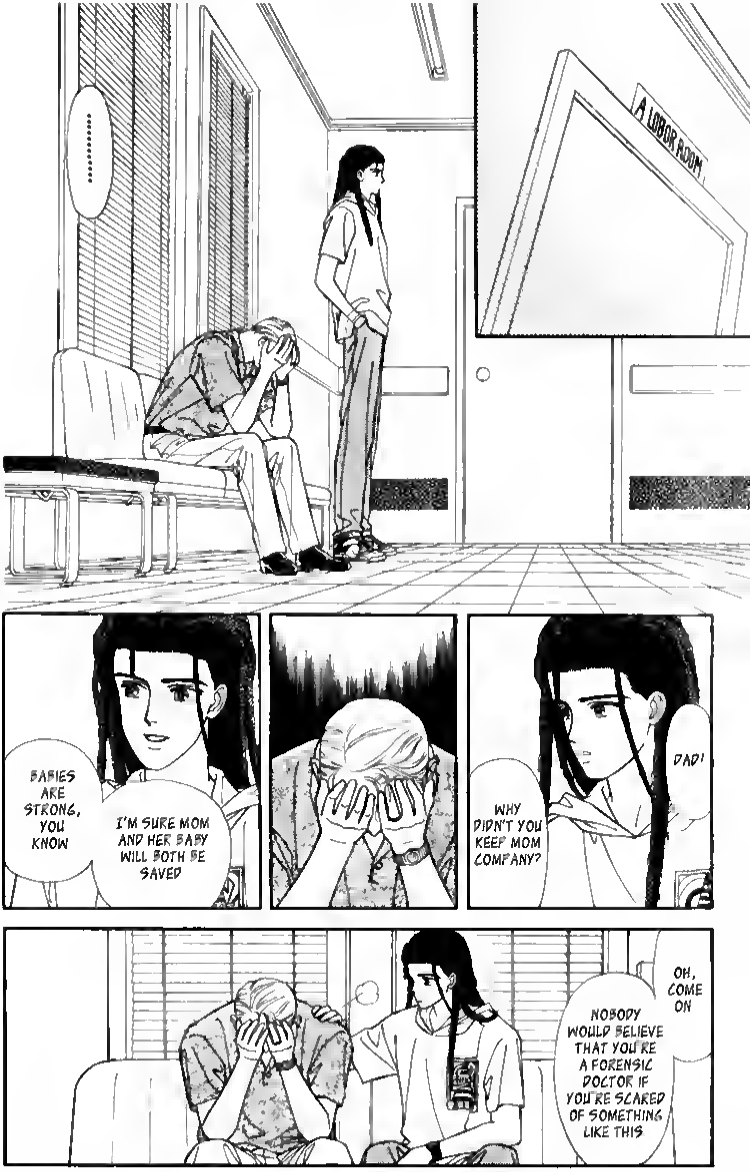
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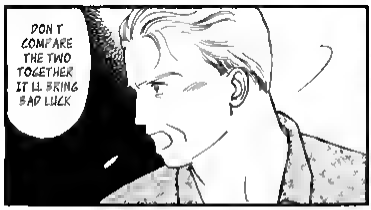
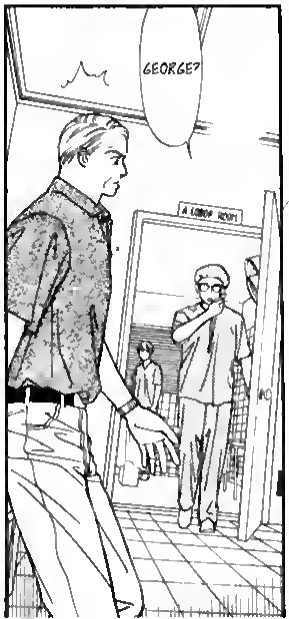
LABOR ROOM
DAD!
WHY DIDN'T YOU KEEP MOM COMPANY?
I'M SURE MOM AND HER BABY WILL BOTH BE SAVED
BABIES ARE STRONG, YOU KNOW
OH, COME ON
NOBODY WOULD BELIEVE THAT YOU'RE A FORENSIC DOCTOR IF YOU'RE SCARED OF SOMETHING LIKE THIS

CORPSES ARE DEAD PEOPLE!
BABIES ARE NOT!


DON'T COMPARE THE TWO TOGETHER IT'LL BRING BAD LUCK


GEORGE?
A LOUNGE ROOM

DON'T TELL ME THAT WAS THE REASON YOU BECAME A FORENSIC DOCTOR?
DAD
YEAH. IS THAT WRONG?
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A BABY GIRL. SHE WAS BORN HEALTHY.
HER MOTHER IS FINE TOO.
AAA!

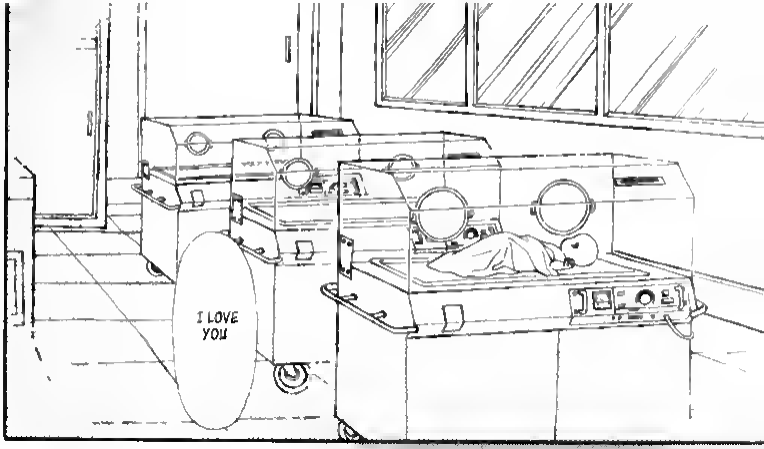
CON-GRATS, MOM!
YOU DID WELL, ROXANNE

WOW, SHE'S SO SMALL

WHAT SHOULD WE NAME HER?
LET'S THINK ABOUT IT TOGETHER
YOU SHOULD GO HOME NOW AND REST, ALEX
YOU'RE GONNA BE IN A TOURNAMENT TOMORROW WON'T YOU?
YES
LET ME PUT HER IN THE INCUBATOR
ALEX!
YOU'VE BEEN A GREAT HELP TODAY
THANK YOU SO MUCH

HONESTLY, I WAS ALWAYS WORRIED ANYTIME I SAW HIM.
HUH?

WHY DID YOU THINK THAT?
I'LL NEVER LEAVE YOU
I'M SORRY
I THOUGHT
YOU'D GO BACK TO GREECE WITH HIM
RIGHT
HE
WAS MY HISTORY


I LOVE YOU

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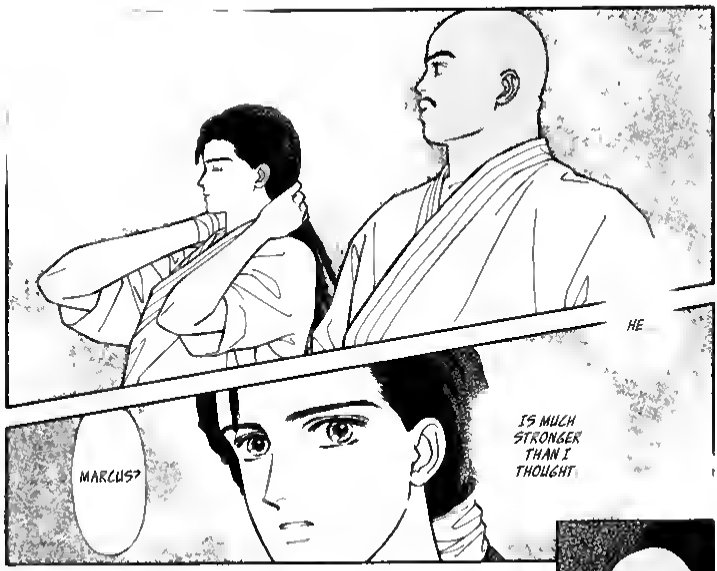
HEY!
FINALLY, YOU'RE HERE!
SORRY, SORRY
NOT 'HEY', YOU MORON! WHAT MADE YOU SO LATE?
I THOUGHT YOU'D GET DISQUALIFIED!
YEAH I WOKE UP LATE
BAS-TARD!
DON'T TELL ME YOU WOKE UP LATE
YOU SURE GOT A NERVE IF YOU DARE TO COME LATER THAN THE CHAMPION

I SEE
HOW IS SHE? IS SHE HEALTHY?
14
YEAH, SHE'S FINE
ACTUALLY, MY LITTLE SISTER WAS BORN FREMATURE YESTERDAY
SO I DIDN'T GET ENOUGH SLEEP
YOUR SISTER?
THAT'S ENOUGH
THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT THEY LOOK LIKE OR WHAT THEY'LL FACE IN THE FUTURE
BUT THEY DO THEIR BEST TO KEEP LIVING
BABIES ARE AMAZING,
DON'T YOU THINK?


HE
IS MUCH STRONGER THAN I THOUGHT
MARCUS?

ABOUT OUR MATCH TODAY
LET ME TELL YOU

.....

WE WON'T SEE EACH OTHER UNLESS WE MAKE IT TO THE FINAL
WE'RE COMPLETELY SEPARATED BY THE 2 DIFFERENT GROUP SYSTEM
I WILL WIN
ATHLETES, PLEASE ENTER THE AUDITORIUM NOW
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WE'LL BEGIN THE OPENING CEREMONY SOON
LET'S GO!

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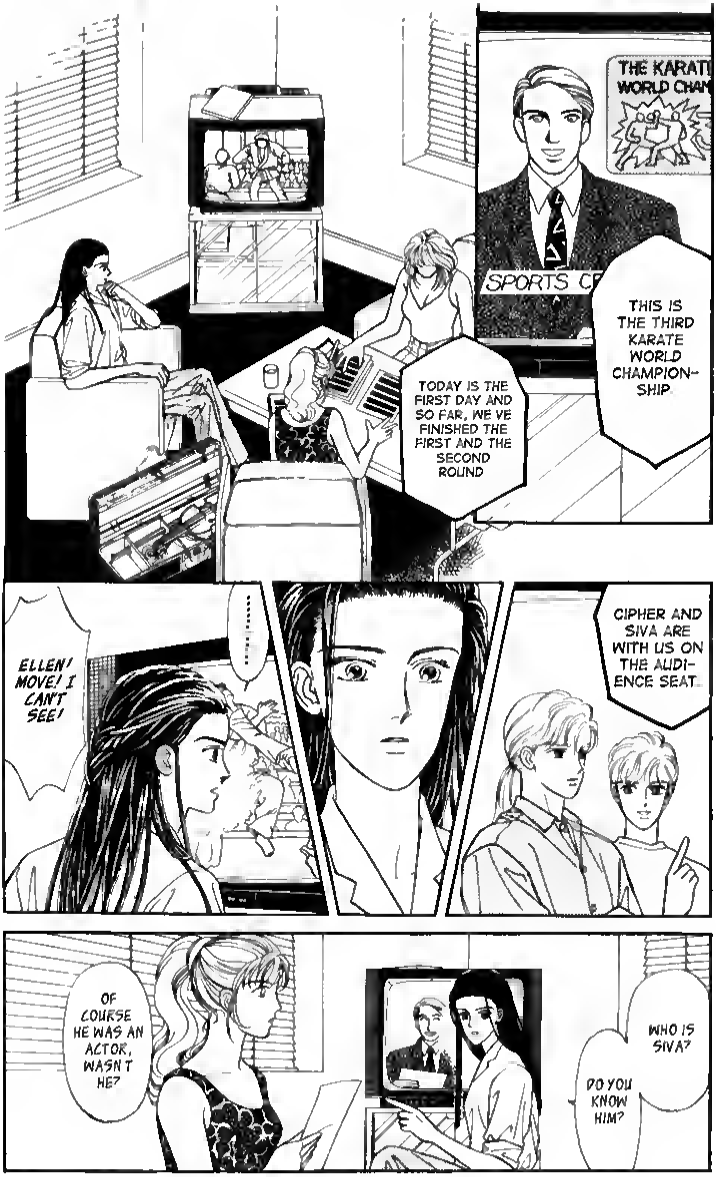
THE KARATE WORLD CHAM
SPORTS C
THIS IS THE THIRD KARATE WORLD CHAMPION-SHIP
TODAY IS THE FIRST DAY AND SO FAR, WE'VE FINISHED THE FIRST AND THE SECOND ROUND
ELLEN! MOVE! I CAN'T SEE!
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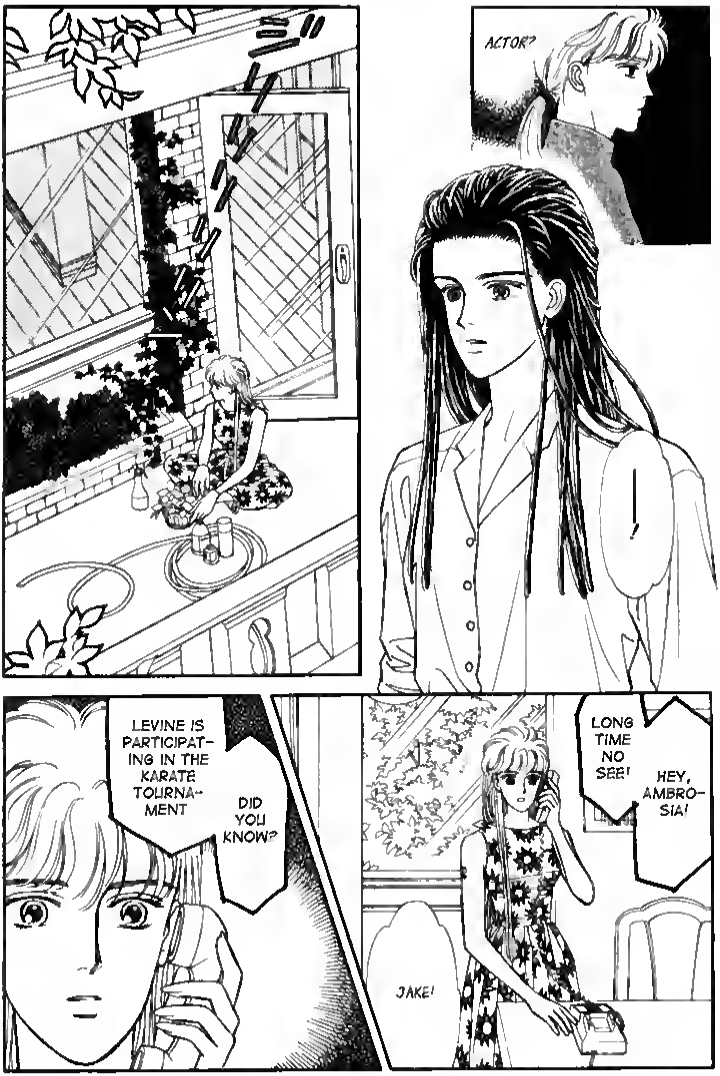
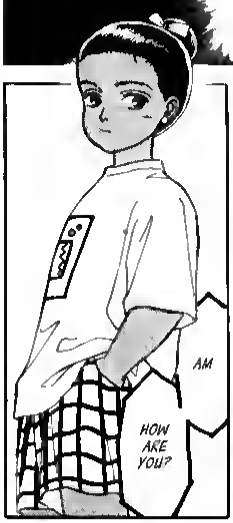
CIPHER AND SIVA ARE WITH US ON THE AUDI-ENCE SEAT.
OF COURSE HE WAS AN ACTOR, WASN'T HE?
WHO IS SIVA?
DO YOU KNOW HIM?


ACTOR?
!
LONG TIME NO SEE!
HEY, AMBROSIA!
JAKE!
DID YOU KNOW?
LEVINE IS PARTICIPATING IN THE KARATE TOURNAMENT

TODAY?
.....
I DON'T KNOW IF I CAN COME OR NOT.
MARCUS IS HERE TOO.
WANNA WATCH HIM? I'VE BOUGHT EXTRA TICKETS.
HE'S WON SO FAR, AND TODAY'S THE SECOND DAY.
I'LL WAIT FOR YOU.
IF YOU CAN COME BEFORE NOON, THAT'D BE GREAT.
HE WON'T HAVE ANY MORE MATCHES UNTIL 12.
I'M HOME!

VANESSA WILLIS
1349 JEFARSON ST
NEW YORK, NY
Ms.
THANKS
IT'S SO HOT OUTSIDE
ANYWAY, THERE'S A LETTER FOR YOU
VANESSA?!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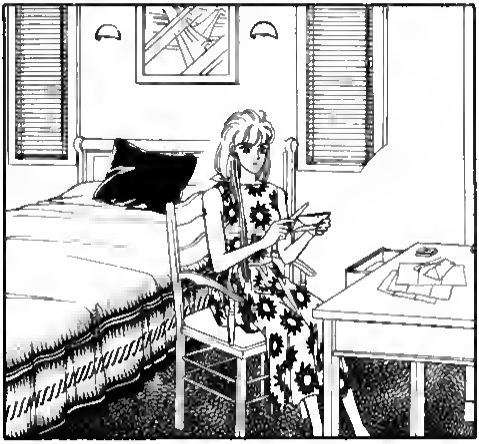
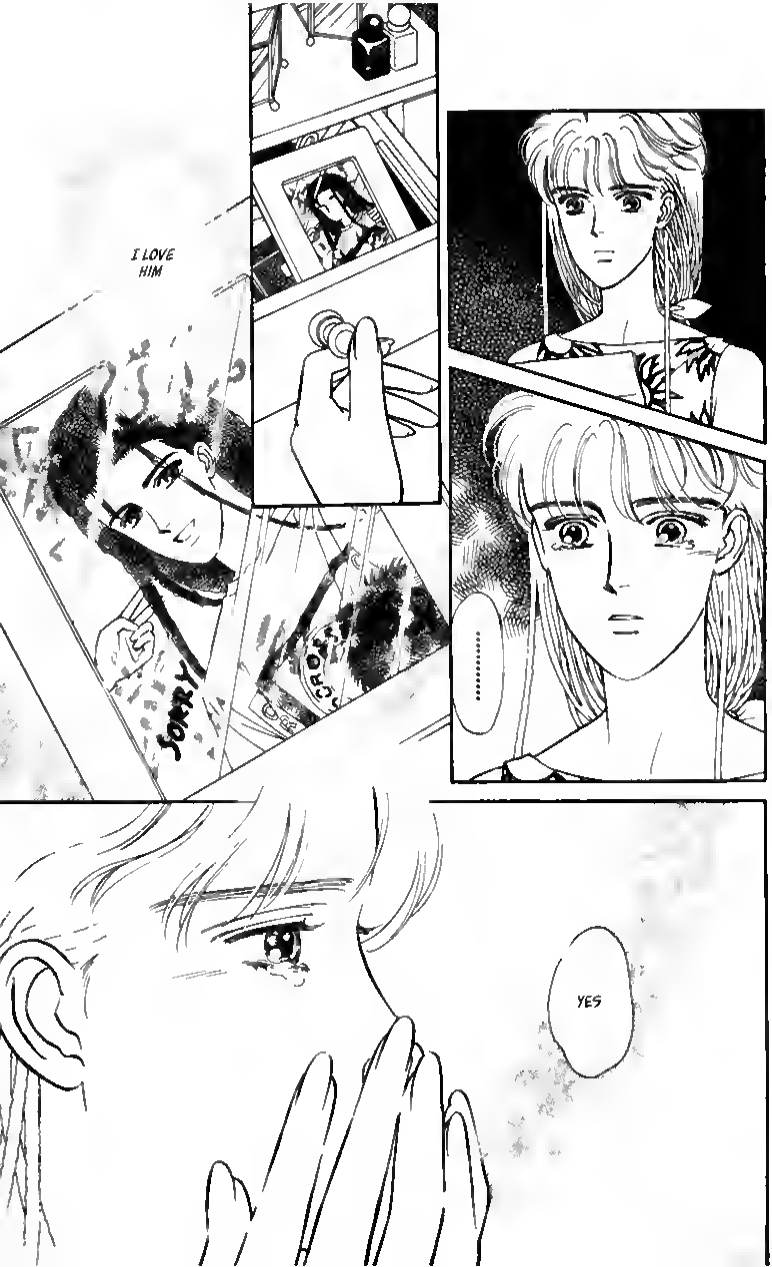
HOW ARE YOU?



MAMA HASN'T CHANGED AT ALL,
EQUAL?
I DON'T REMEMBER THAT PART
YOU ARE THE ONLY ONE TALKED TO ME AS EQUAL
You are the only one talked to me as equal My mom hasn't changed at all, I still love
BUT I STILL LOVE HER
I'LL TRY HARD
LOVE, VANESSA
Thanks.
Love.
THANK YOU


I LOVE HIM
SORRY
.....
YES

IPPON!
I'LL TRY HARD.
3rd R
#14 CA
#23 WE

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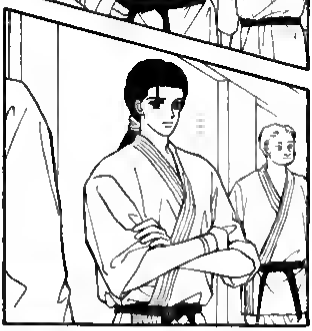

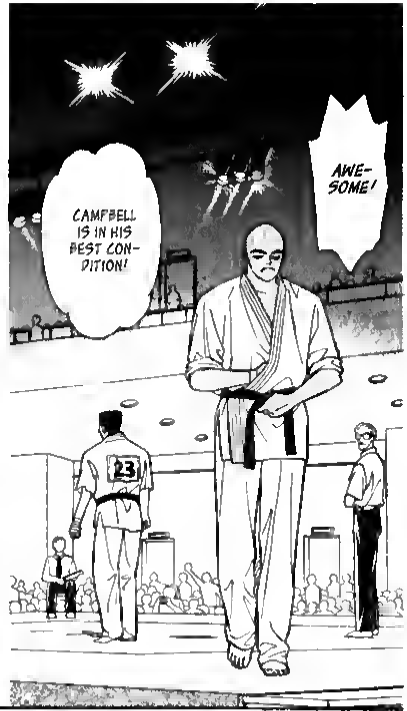
AWE-SOME!
CAMPBELL IS IN HIS BEST CON-DITION!
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OKAY!
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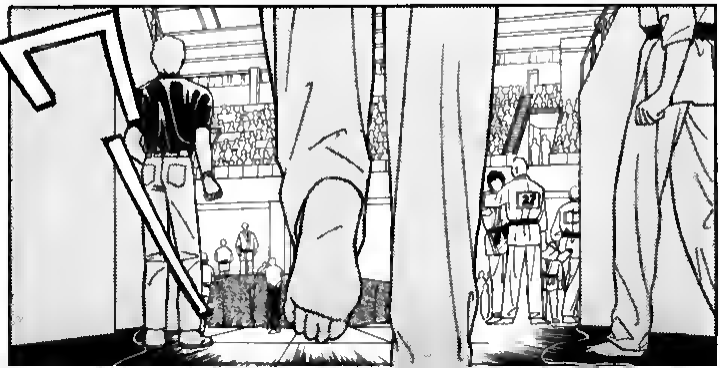
WIN IT!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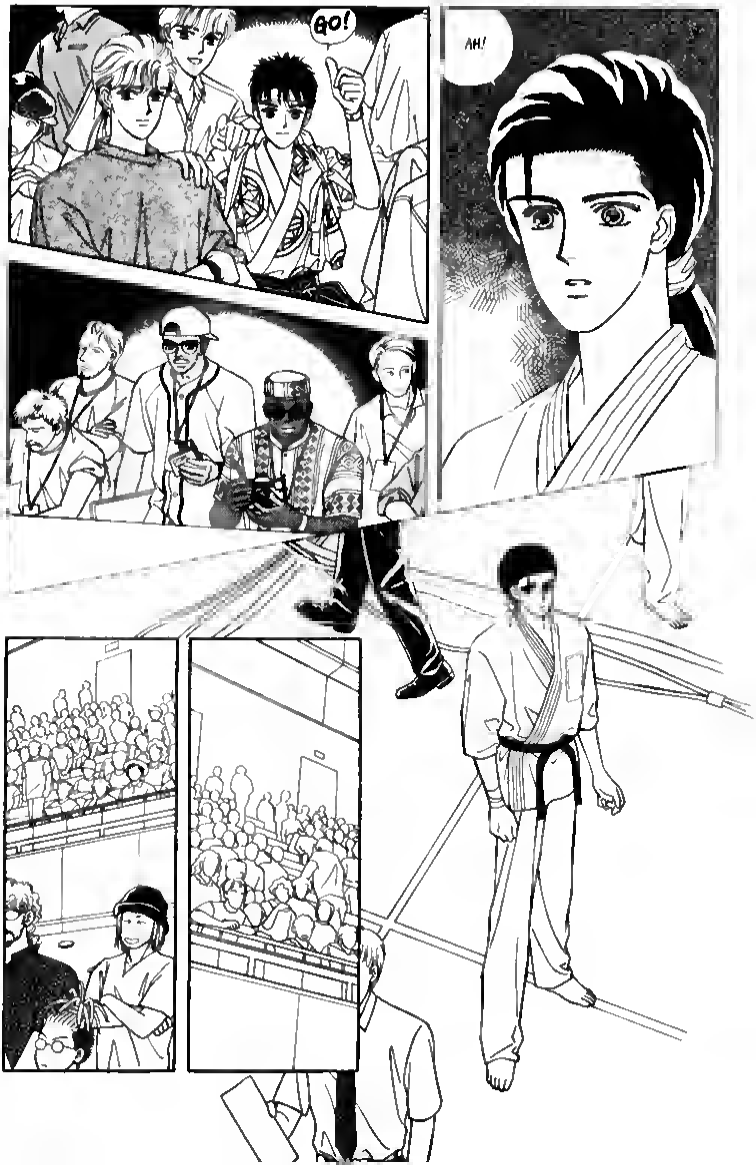
GO!
AH!

COME TO GREECE!
IF YOU ACCEPT IT BY AVOIDING ME, YOU BETTER REFUSE IT
I JUST WANT YOU TO BE YOURSELF
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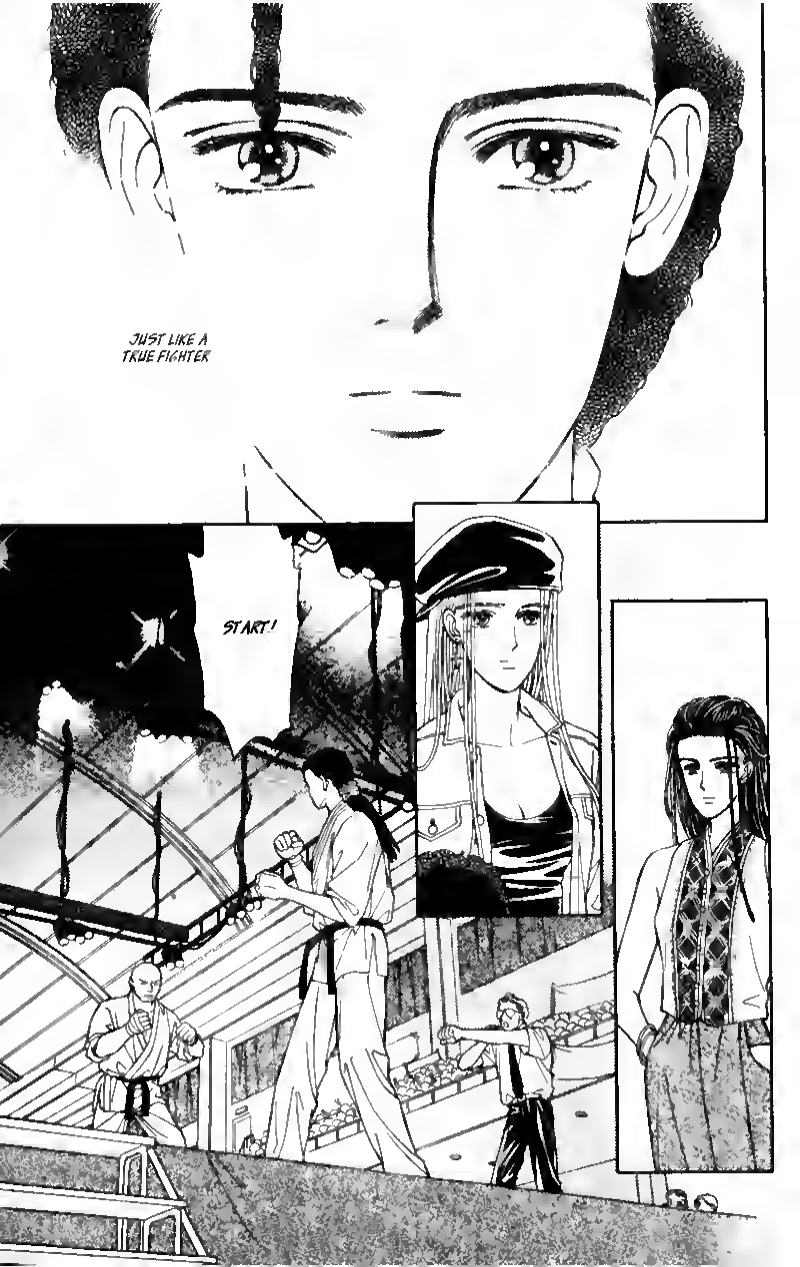
I'M GOING TO FIGHT WITHOUT ANYTHING IN MIND NOW
WHEN EVERYTHING IS OVER, THE ANSWER WILL COME UP ON IT'S OWN


JUST LIKE A
TRUE FIGHTER
START!

A1
REFLECTION ON YOU
BE PROUD OF YOURSELF, TO BEHAVE NATURALLY

IPPON!

HE'S GOOD!
WHAT'S HIS NAME? LEVINE?
BUT I THINK CAMPBELL WILL WIN THE TOURNAMENT AGAIN
BY CAMP-BELL DO YOU MEAN MARCUS CAMPBELL?
IS HE REALLY STRONG?
HUH?
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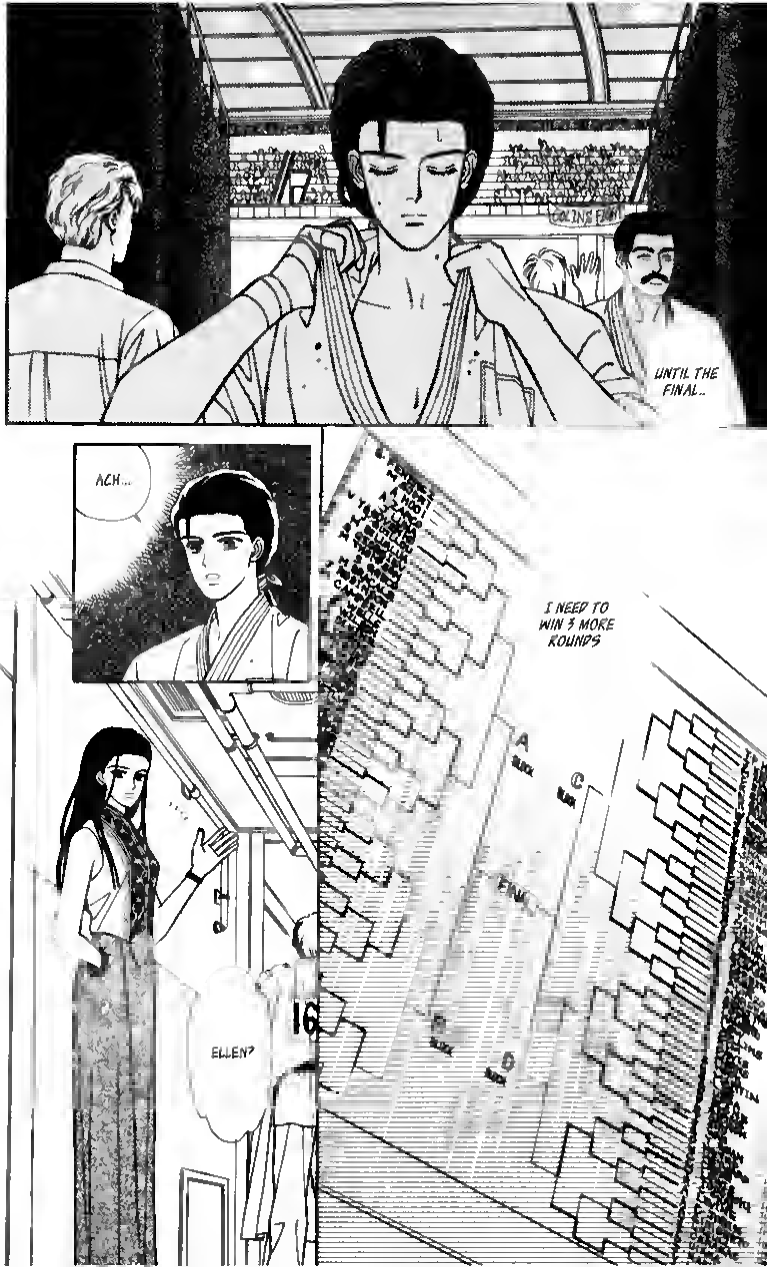
IF HE KEEPS WINNING, WILL HE FIGHT THE LEVINE GUY?
OF COURSE HE'S STRONG.
HE WAS THE LAST YEAR'S CHAMPION AND HE WAS INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS TOURNAMENT.
I GUESS.
IF THEY KEEP WINNING, THEY'LL MEET IN THE FINAL
FINAL


COLINS FAN
UNTIL THE FINAL..
ACH...
I NEED TO WIN 3 MORE ROUNDS
A BLOCK
C BLOCK
FINAL
B BLOCK
D BLOCK
ELLEN?
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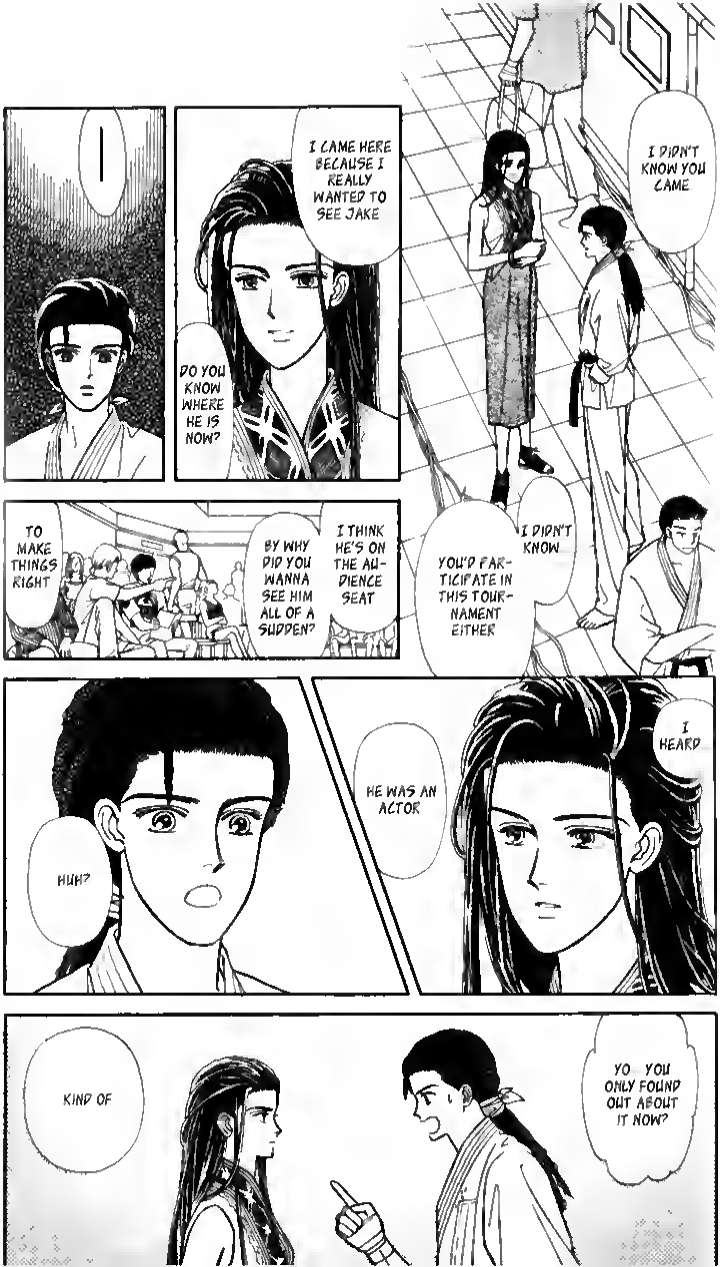
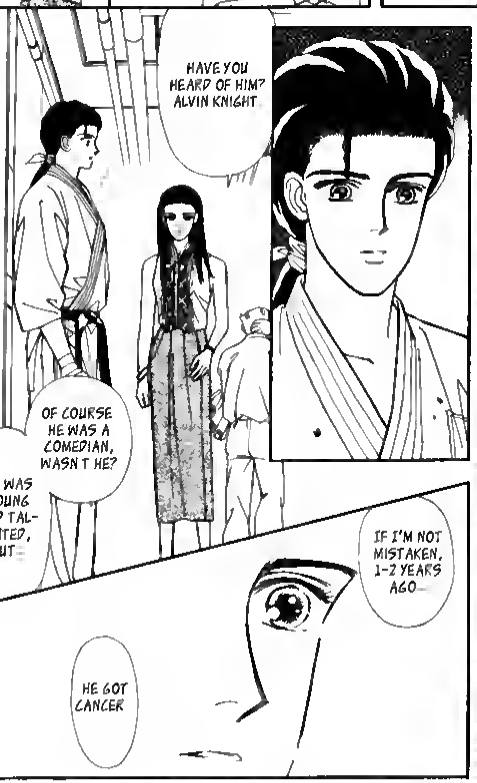
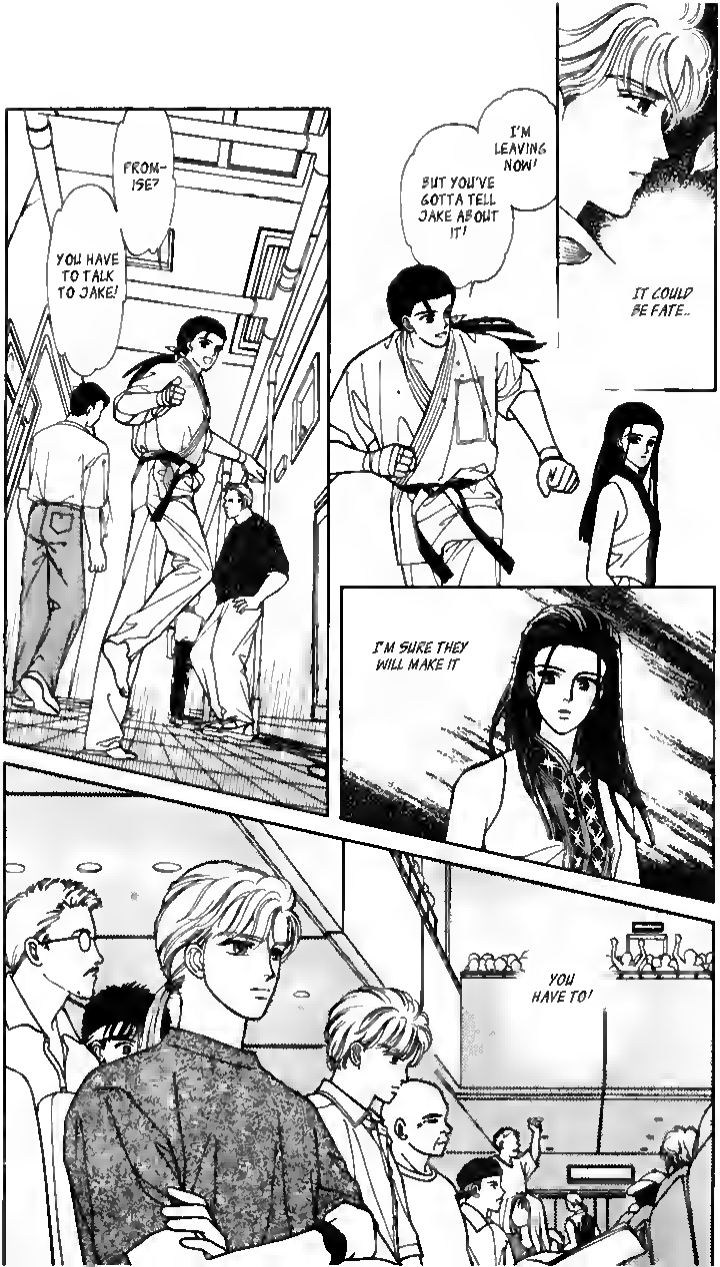

I
I CAME HERE BECAUSE I REALLY WANTED TO SEE JAKE
DO YOU KNOW WHERE HE IS NOW?
I DIDN'T KNOW YOU CAME
I DIDN'T KNOW
YOU'D PARTICIPATE IN THIS TOURNAMENT EITHER
TO MAKE THINGS RIGHT
BY WHY DID YOU WANNA SEE HIM ALL OF A SUDDEN?
I THINK HE'S ON THE AUDIENCE SEAT
HUH?
HE WAS AN ACTOR
I HEARD
KIND OF
YO YOU ONLY FOUND OUT ABOUT IT NOW?

YOU'RE WORSE THAN AMIRI!
SO, YOU WANNA MEET HIM BECAUSE HE'S AN ACTOR?
YES

YEAH
I NEVER PAY ATTENTION TO CELEBRITIES


HAVE YOU HEARD OF HIM? ALVIN KNIGHT
OF COURSE HE WAS A COMEDIAN, WASN'T HE?
HE WAS YOUNG AND TALENTED, BUT...
IF I'M NOT MISTAKEN, 1-2 YEARS AGO...
HE GOT CANCER
I WAS THINKING IT COULD BE FATE...
THE PERSON I LOVED BEFORE WAS AN ACTOR TOO.

AND DIED..
I WAS DOING A CHARITY FOR MY SCHOOL EXTRACURRICULAR
THE FIRST TIME I MET HIM WAS IN THE HOSPITAL
HE WAS HAPPY BECAUSE I WAS SO NAIVE
MY BROTHERS THOUGHT
HE ONLY PLAYED PRANKS ON ME AND MADE ME SUFFER
IT WAS THE SAME FOR ABOUT 4 MONTHS BEFORE HE EVENTUALLY PASSED AWAY
I SPENT TIME WITH HIM MORE AND MORE EVERY DAY
HE WAS THE ONE WHO TOLD ME TO "FLAP MY WINGS"
ROUND 4 IS ABOUT TO BEGIN!
HE WAS MISJUDGED JUST BECAUSE HE WAS AN ACTOR
HOW UNLUCKY FOR JAKE


IT COULD BE FATE..
I'M LEAVING NOW!
BUT YOU'VE GOTTA TELL JAKE ABOUT IT!
FROM-ISE?
YOU HAVE TO TALK TO JAKE!
I'M SURE THEY WILL MAKE IT
YOU HAVE TO!

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IPPON!
WHITE!
IPPON!
12
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WHAT ARE YOU GONNA EAT FOR LUNCH?
DO YOU WANT THE FASTA IN MY FAMILY'S STYLE?

JUST 2 MORE ROUNDS

A BANANA?
NO, THANKS
THIS IS MORE THAN ENOUGH FOR ME.

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WHAT'S WRONG?

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OI?
WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU?
IF YOU HAVE A FACE LIKE THAT, YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO EAT BANANAS
HUH?
I'M NOT SUITABLE TO EAT BANANAS?
IS THAT TRUE...?
MIKE!
MIND IF I TAKE YOUR PICTURE?
HEY, HOW ARE YOU?
WELL...
?
NOT AS SUITABLE AS A GORILLA, I MUST SAY

ARE YOU STILL UPSET ABOUT SOME-THING?
NO... I'M FINE.
パラッ
UM...
I'VE BROUGHT YOU THE NEW WN MAGA-ZINE
WN
Picture
VAL'S CLOTHES
WOW!
CAN I SEE IT TOO?

WHY ARE YOU SPACED OUT?
AH!
JUST WHAT?
UM...
IT'S JUST
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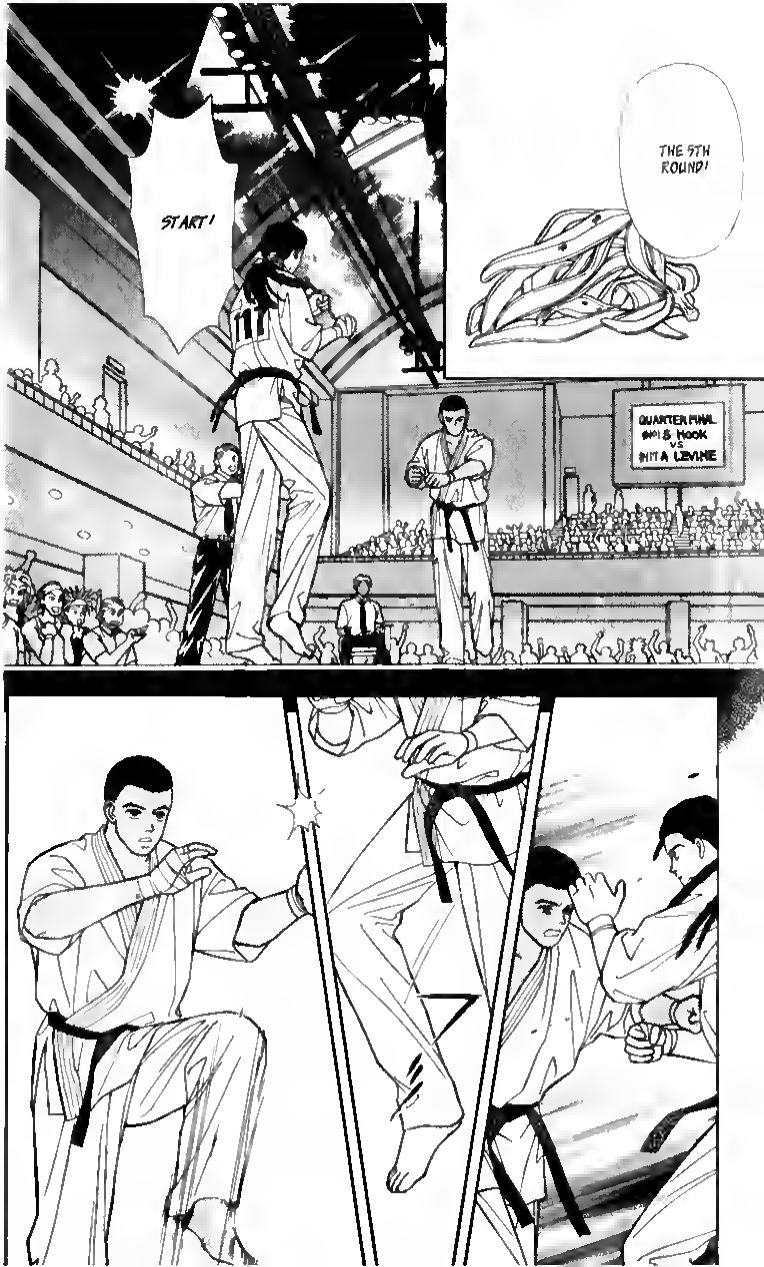
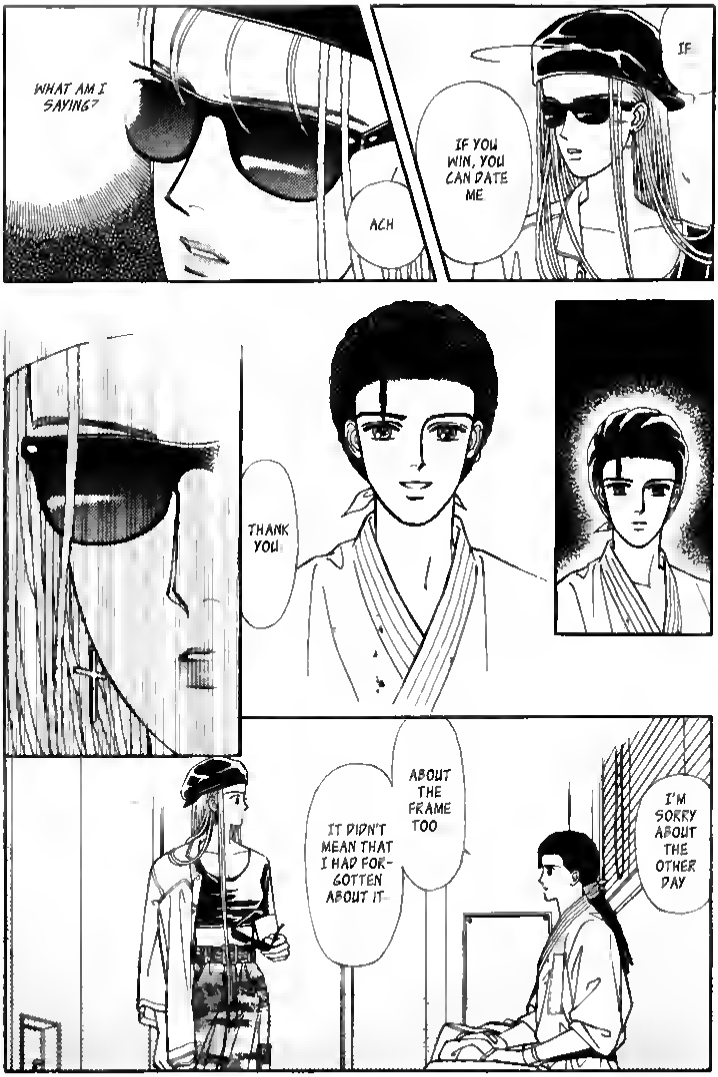
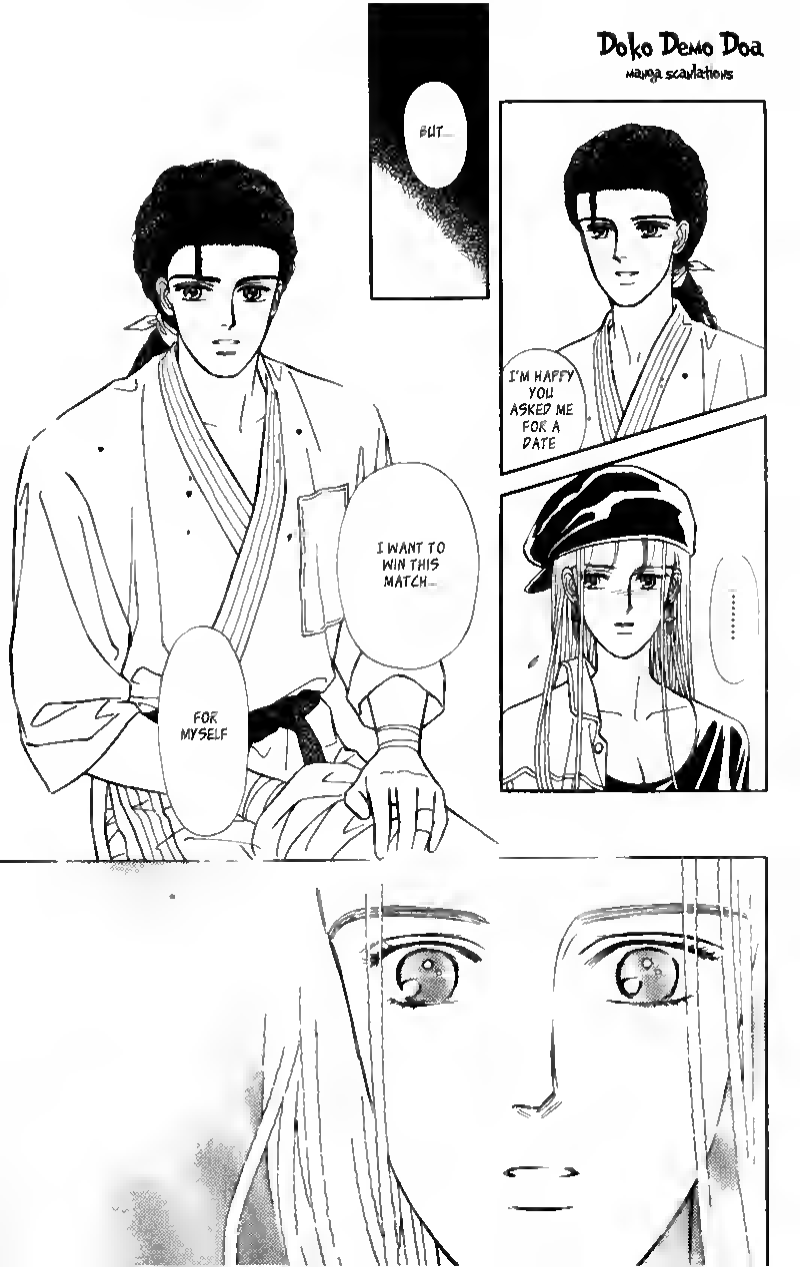

START!
THE 5TH ROUND!
QUARTER FINAL
S. HOOK
VS
NITA LEVINE

.....
LEFT!
QUARTER
#101 S
#117
WOW!
THE NEWCOMER HAS GOTTEN INTO THE SEMIFINALS ALREADY!

AFTER 15 MINUTES BREAK...
WE'LL CONTINUE WITH THE 2 SEMIFINALS!
SEMIFINAL
M.JORDAN
S.PIPPEN
H.GRANGER
S.THURMOND
M.CAMPBELL
T.HERSEY
K.WILLIS
P.WILSON
D.WHITE
M.JOHNSON
R.RODMAN
K.G.MUNN
A.LEVINE
B.D.ROBERTS
P.GRUNFELD
T.HUDSON

AMBRO-
SIA...
DID YOU COME TO SUPPORT ME?
WHY ARE YOU HERE?


WHAT AM I SAYING?
ACH
IF YOU WIN, YOU CAN DATE ME
IF
THANK YOU
I'M SORRY ABOUT THE OTHER DAY
IT DIDN'T MEAN THAT I HAD FORGOTTEN ABOUT IT
ABOUT THE FRAME TOO


BUT...
I'M HAPPY YOU ASKED ME FOR A DATE
I WANT TO WIN THIS MATCH...
FOR MYSELF
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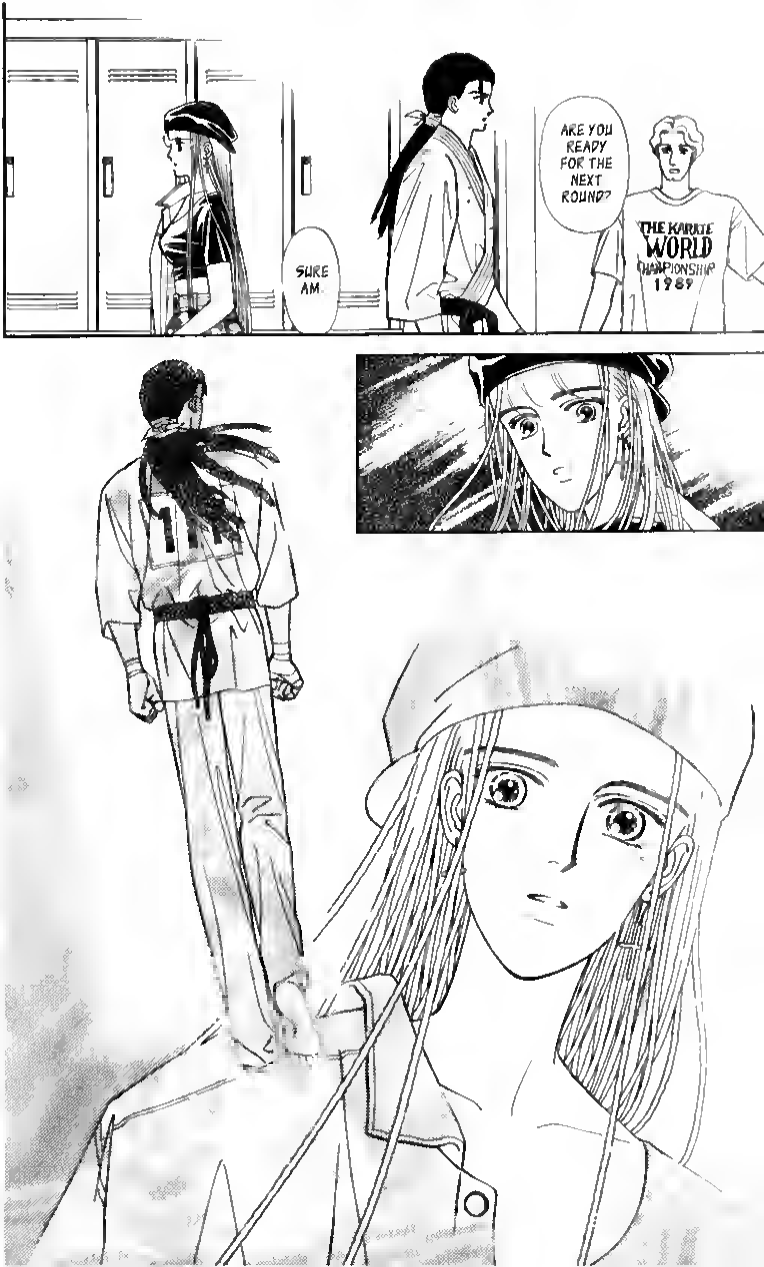
ARE YOU READY FOR THE NEXT ROUND?
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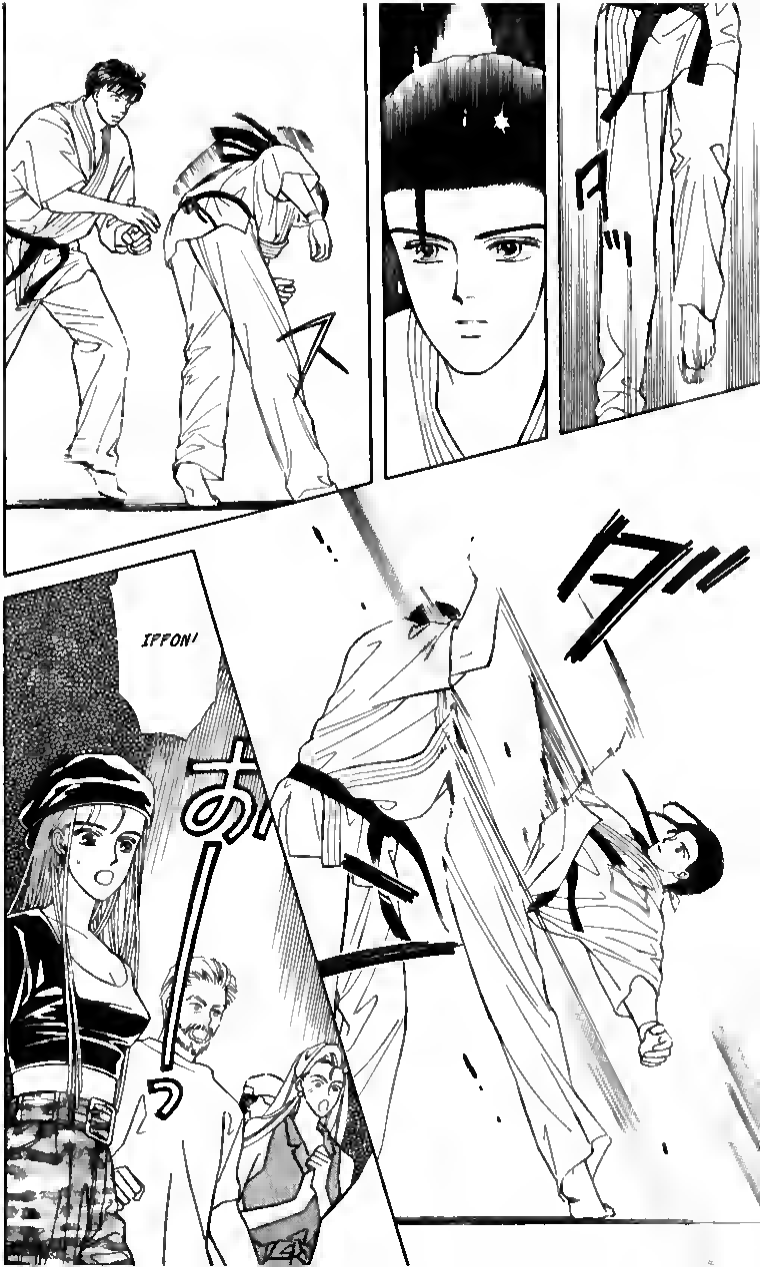
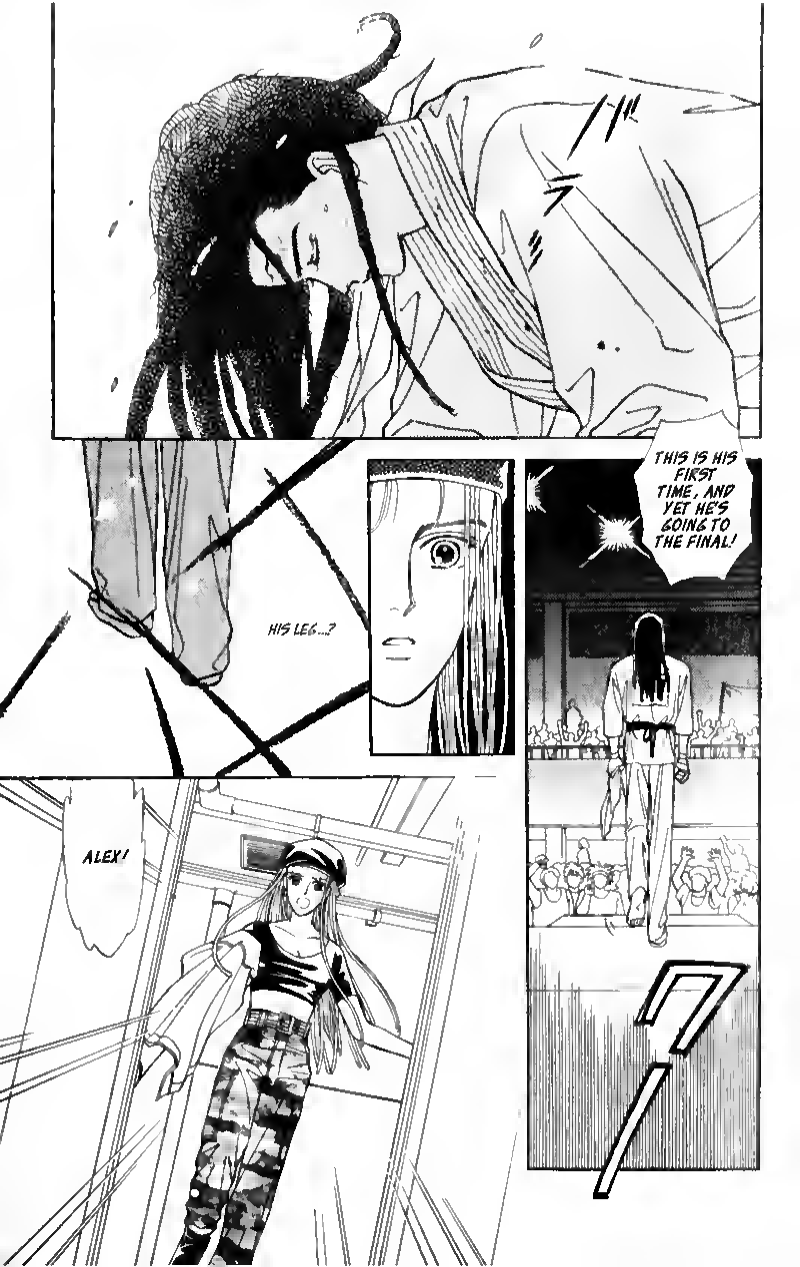
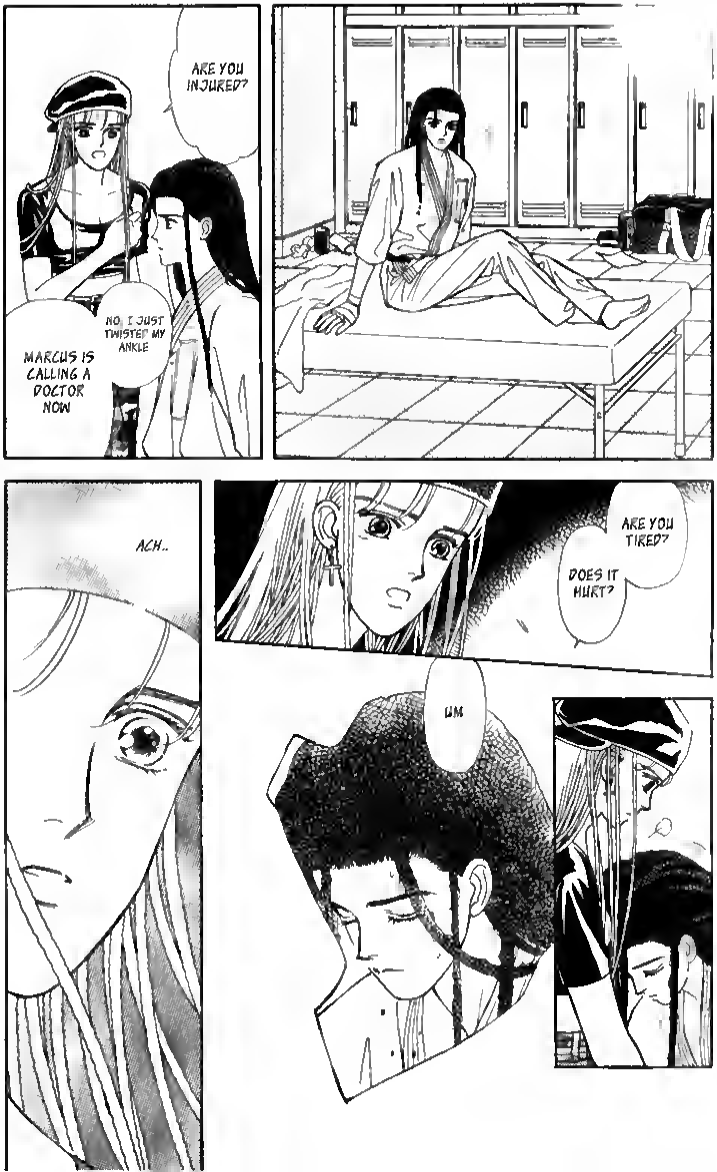
SURE AM.

START!
4TH ROUND
FINAL
HE'S AWE-SOME
THIS IS THE 4TH ROUND FOR HIM TODAY
HE MUST BE TIRED BY NOW.


IPPON!


THIS IS HIS FIRST TIME, AND YET HE'S GOING TO THE FINAL!
HIS LEG...?
ALEX!


ARE YOU INJURED?
NO, I JUST TWISTED MY ANKLE
MARCUS IS CALLING A DOCTOR NOW
ACH..
ARE YOU TIRED?
DOES IT HURT?
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WHAT A FOOL!
EH, AMEKO?
SO YOU CAME AFTER ALL?
ARE YOU... GIVING UP?
HE TWISTED HIS ANKLE
IT'LL GET SWOLLEN LATER
SORRY, SORRY
DON'T YOU HAVE A STRATEGY AT ALL?
IDIOT! YOU'VE GOT WHAT YOU DESERVED! WHY DO YOU ALWAYS WANNA WIN IT FAST?
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DOCTOR, DO YOU THINK HE CAN CONTINUE THE MATCH?
IT'D BE BETTER IF HE QUIT, BUT...
IF YOU WANT TO CONTINUE, I CAN DO SOMETHING TO MAKE IT LESS PAINFUL
WHAT DO YOU THINK?
SO I HAVE TO CHOOSE ONE OUT OF TWO?
HUH?
NO MATTER WHICH ONE I'LL CHOOSE, THERE'S A POSSIBILITY I'LL REGRET IT
IT WON'T MATTER ANYMORE
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WHAT ARE YOU TALK-ING ABOUT?
?
DON'T SAY STUFF LIKE THAT. TELL ME NOW, ARE YOU GOING TO QUIT?
AM I?

FINAL
#8 M. CAMPBELL
VS
#17 A. LEVINE
I HEARD YOU WERE INJURED ARE YOU OKAY?
YEAH.
HOW DO YOU FEEL NOW?
I'M FINE.
MIKE.
ABOUT THE PIC-TURE...
YES?
THIS IS THE THIRD KARATE WORLD CHAMPI-ONSHIP-

I LOVE IT.
HUMANS HAVE WEAK-NESSES...
BUT...
NUMBER 14, MARCUS CAMP-BELL.
WE JUST HAVE TO DO OUR BEST.
NUMBER 17, ALEX LEVINE.

SO I WON'T HATE MYSELF FOREVER...
I HAVE TO FINISH THE MATCH...
START!

ACH!
14
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DON'T SCREAM! IT'S NOT GOOD FOR YOUR HEART!
OOPS IT WAS CLOSE
HE'S MORE ENERGIZED NOW THAT HE'S INJURED
LEVINE LOOKS SO CALM
HE'S NOT TRYING TO PROTECT HIS LEG
MARCUS TOO...

!
NOT YET!
.....

THEY LOOK SO HAPPY
DUMMY
TSK
THE MORE I CAN'T TAKE MY EYES OFF OF HIM
THAT'S WHAT MAKES HIM UNIQUE, ISN'T IT?
I DON'T UNDERSTAND ALEX AFTER ALL
YES
THE MORE I TRY TO UNDER-STAND HIM

IT'S A TIE! SO THERE'LL BE A BONUS ROUND!
THIS ISN'T GOOD
IF THIS CONTINUES, HIS LEG IS...
STOP!
MAOW
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DECISION!
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WHITE!

HE LOST THE MATCH
CLOSING CER-EMONY
YEAH
THEY DID THEIR BEST

UM...
EXCUSE ME
YES?
!
AMBRO-SIA?!
PLEASE
LET ME DO THIS JOB!
WHAT DID YOU SAY? STOP FOOLING AROUND!
I'M SERIOUS!
I CAN'T LET YOU! ARE YOU TRYING TO STEAL MY JOB?
AND NOW...
ACH

I'M SORRY!
PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

HUH?
AH!
EH?
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CATCH HER, LEVINE!
YOU DID IT, AMEKO!
CATCH HER! CATCH HER!

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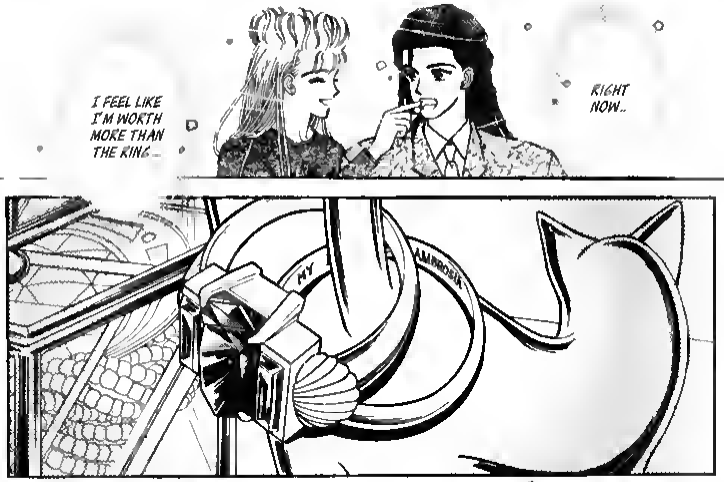
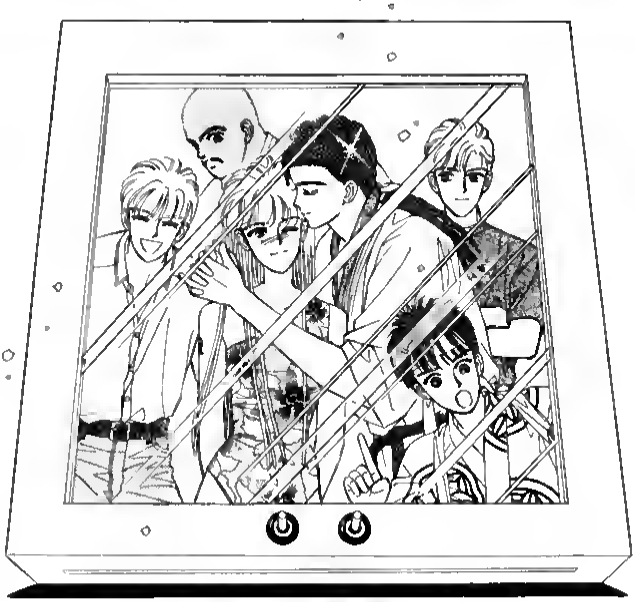
SORRY FOR WAITING!
YOU'RE SO SLOW!
YOU'RE NOT WEARING THE RING?
NOPE I WAS WORRIED I'D DROP IT AGAIN
DO YOU THINK JAKE AND ELLEN WILL COME?
POSITIVE
YOU WANNA MEET THEM?
YEAH





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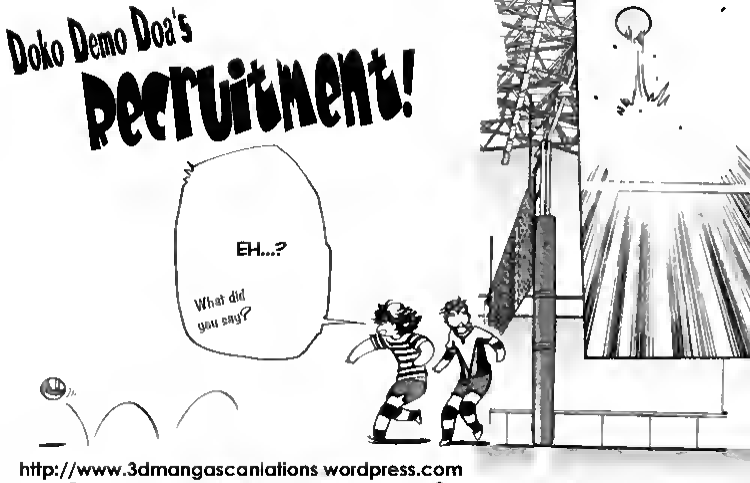

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I WON'T LET IT HAPPEN!
NOBODY TOLD ME THAT!
THERE WILL BE NO DAILY PUBLICATIONS ON DDD ANYMORE!?
claudeke16!
Sara Cairn too!
WHERE ARE YOU, KAORI!?
WHAT ABOUT MY FAVORITE MANGA, JUNKARE?
What?! It's put on hiatus?

HOW HARD IT IS TO DO A SCANLATION?
You need to translate, proofread, clean, and typeset it before it can be uploaded!
DON'T YOU TWO REALIZE...
Plus, there're only 4 of them now in DDD team!
EH?
Sango?

And these people can help too, right, guys?!
I want more chapters of JunKare!
Why didn't you tell me earlier? I can help you find help!
We need your help, everyone!
JOHNAN
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Don't forget your volleyball practice!